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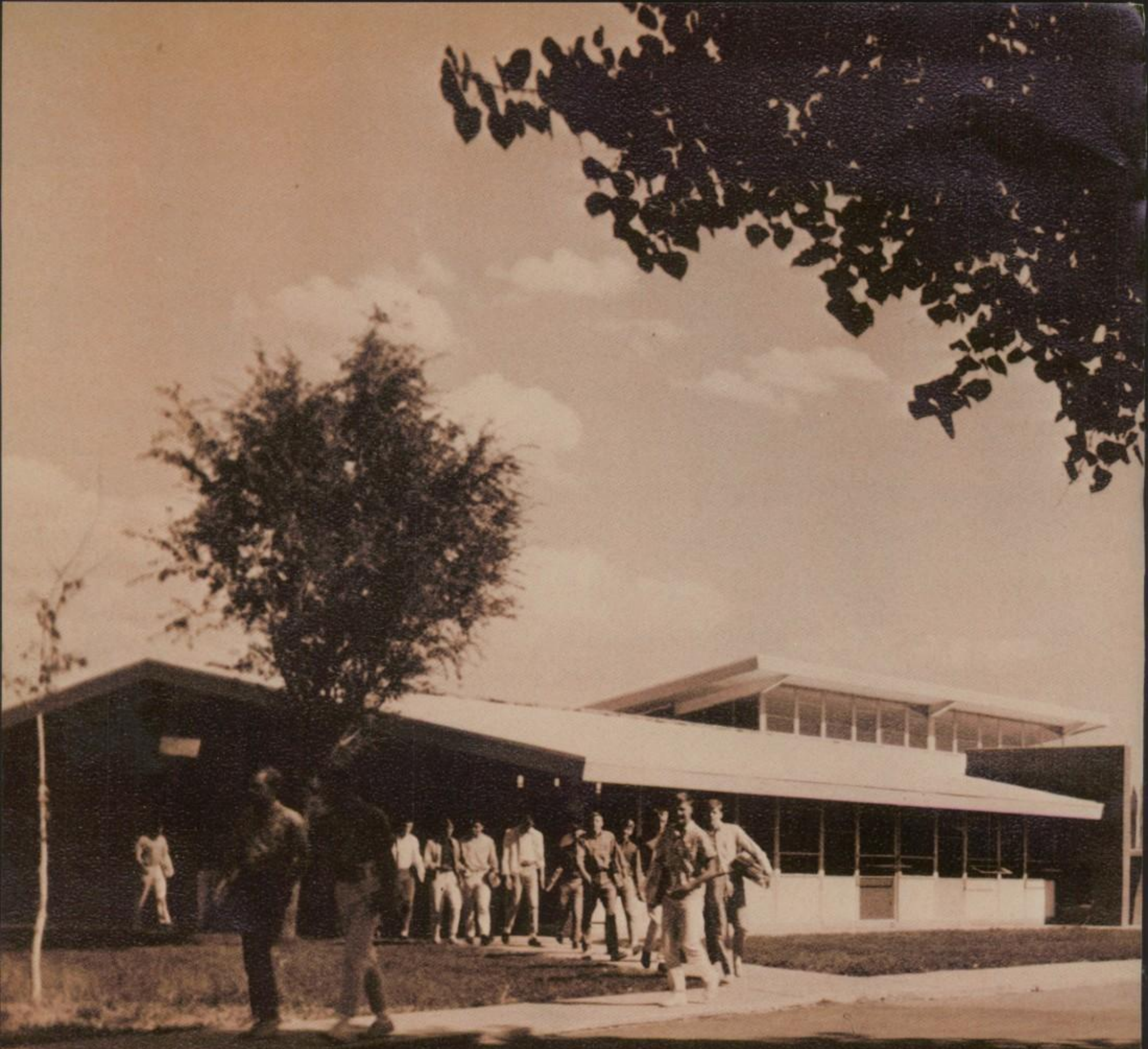
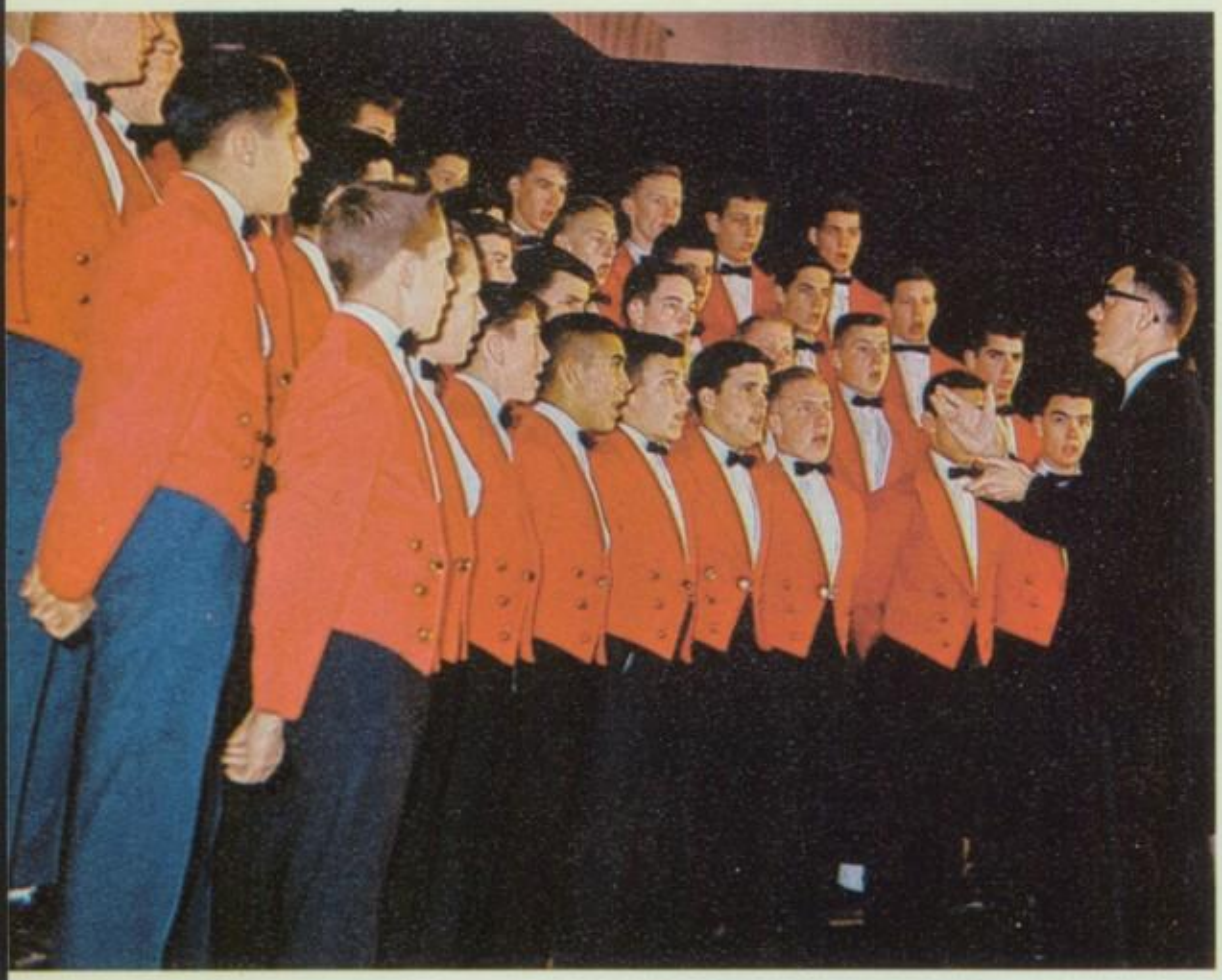


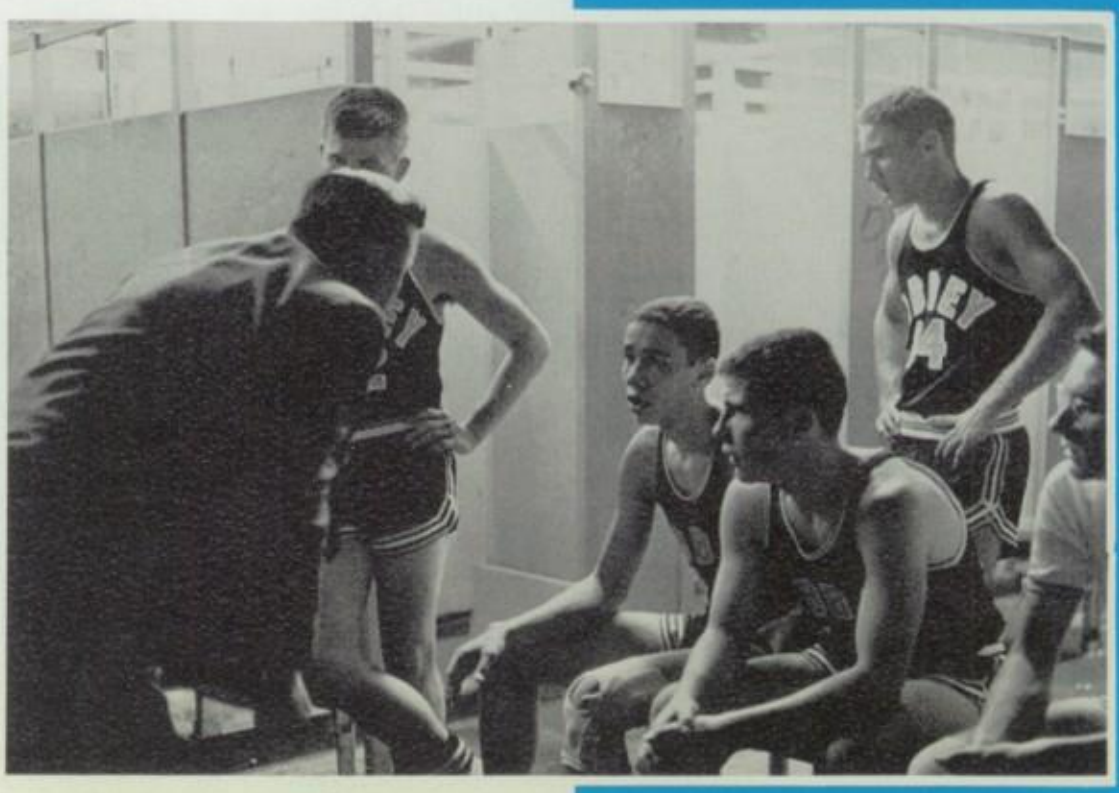
Educating youth today is a complex and challenging process. It involves a faculty that is not only competently trained but also faithfully dedicated to the needs of 20th Century education. Moreover it involves students who are properly motivated toward academic life, and courageously determined to persevere toward successful ends. It demands that the students develop healthy attitudes and realistic ideals. It demands a maturing set of personal values that will direct them toward desirable goals in life.

The Benedictine monks of The Abbey School faculty hope that they are contributing generously toward the fulfillment of these educative goals. The friendly atmosphere created between faculty and student body at The Abbey School establishes the best possible framework in which this educative process may develop and progress.

And in the end, the only measure of success in this mutual process are Abbey students who are mature, responsible, mentally alert and disciplined—educated Christian gentlemen par excellence.



America's greatest hope for progress in the space age is its educated youth—mentally, spiritually, physically and socially developed for the challenges that lie ahead.



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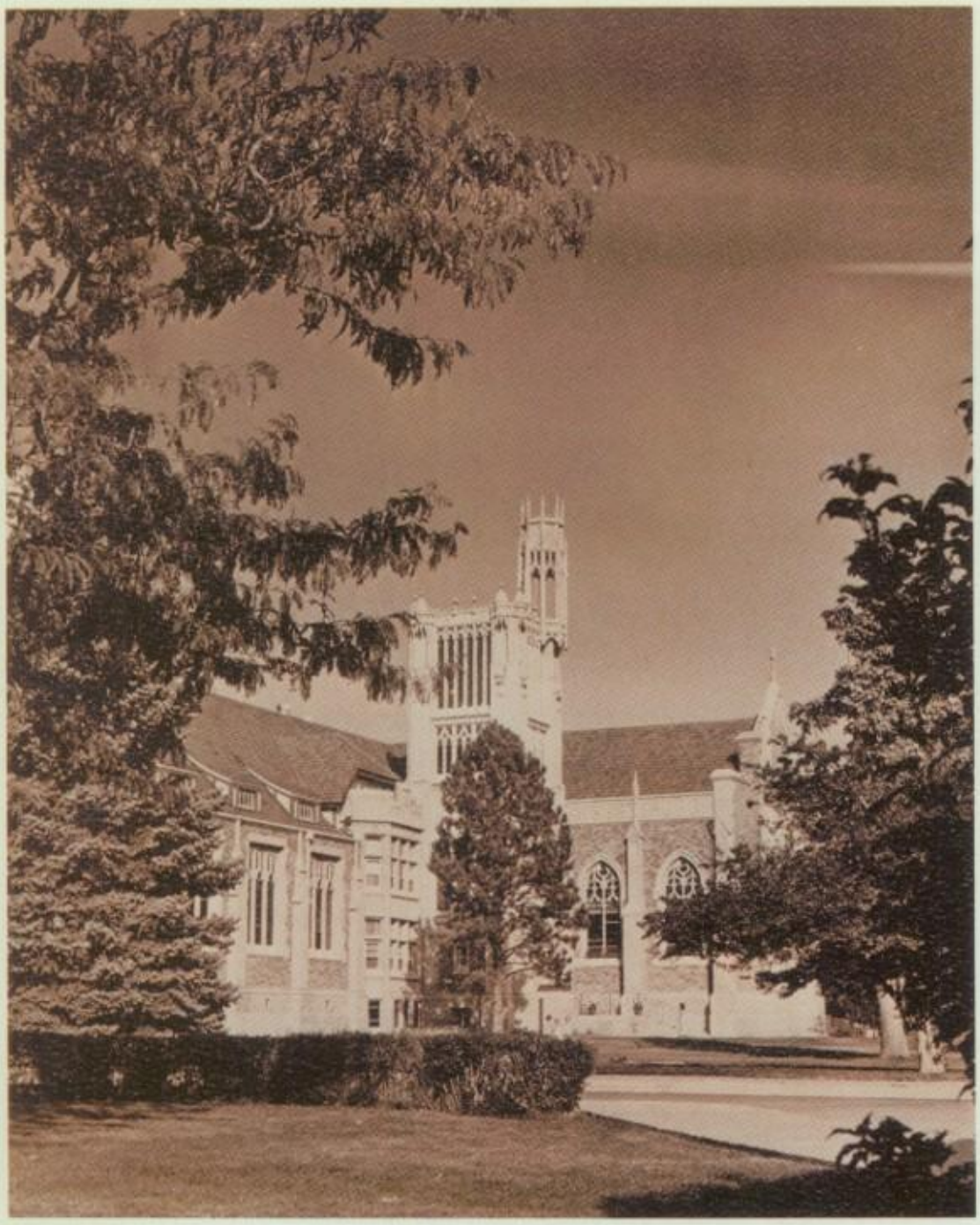

A landmark in Southern Colorado is the Abbey Tower. Its Gothic structure symbolizes many decades of Benedictine monasticism at Holy Cross Abbey, along with modern educational development and expansion of the Abbey School.

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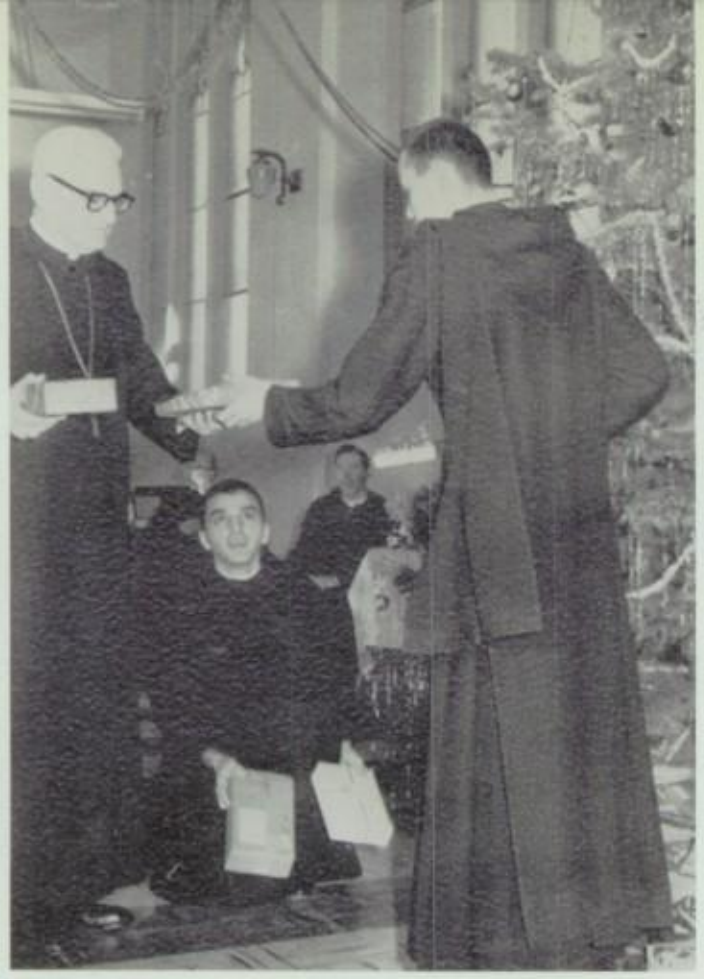

Frater Christopher and Brother Eugene help Father Abbot distribute the Christmas gifts.

Father Michael works on a new outer-space painting.

Brother Michael Murray executed a new paschal candle for the chapel.

Abbot Leonard played host to three bishops during the Catholic-Episcopalian dialogue held in February. Shown below are: the Rt. Rev. Edwin B. Thayer, suffragan bishop of the Episcopalian Diocese of Colorado; the Rt. Rev. Joseph S. Minnis, Episcopal bishop of Colorado; The Most Rev. Charles A. Buswell, bishop of the Catholic Diocese of Pueblo, and the Rt. Rev. Leonard A. Schwinn, O.S.B., abbot of Holy Cross Abbey.

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The steps he took on earth are now an indelible testimony to all things American—the dignity of man, the equality of human beings, the respect for individual achievement, the passion for peace among nations. He took them at home and abroad, amidst friendly loyalty and unfriendly opposition. Time has recorded these steps for men to trace again in hope—or abandon them to the shameful failures of history.

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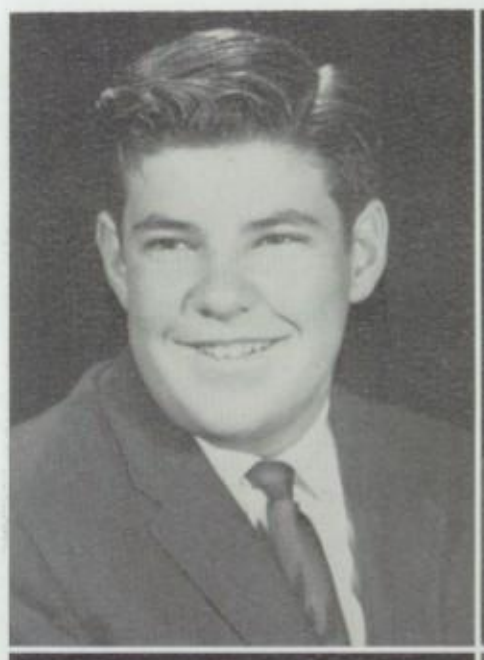

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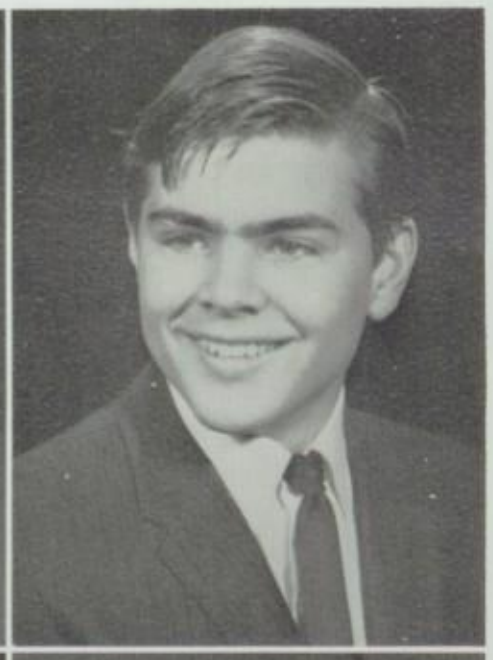

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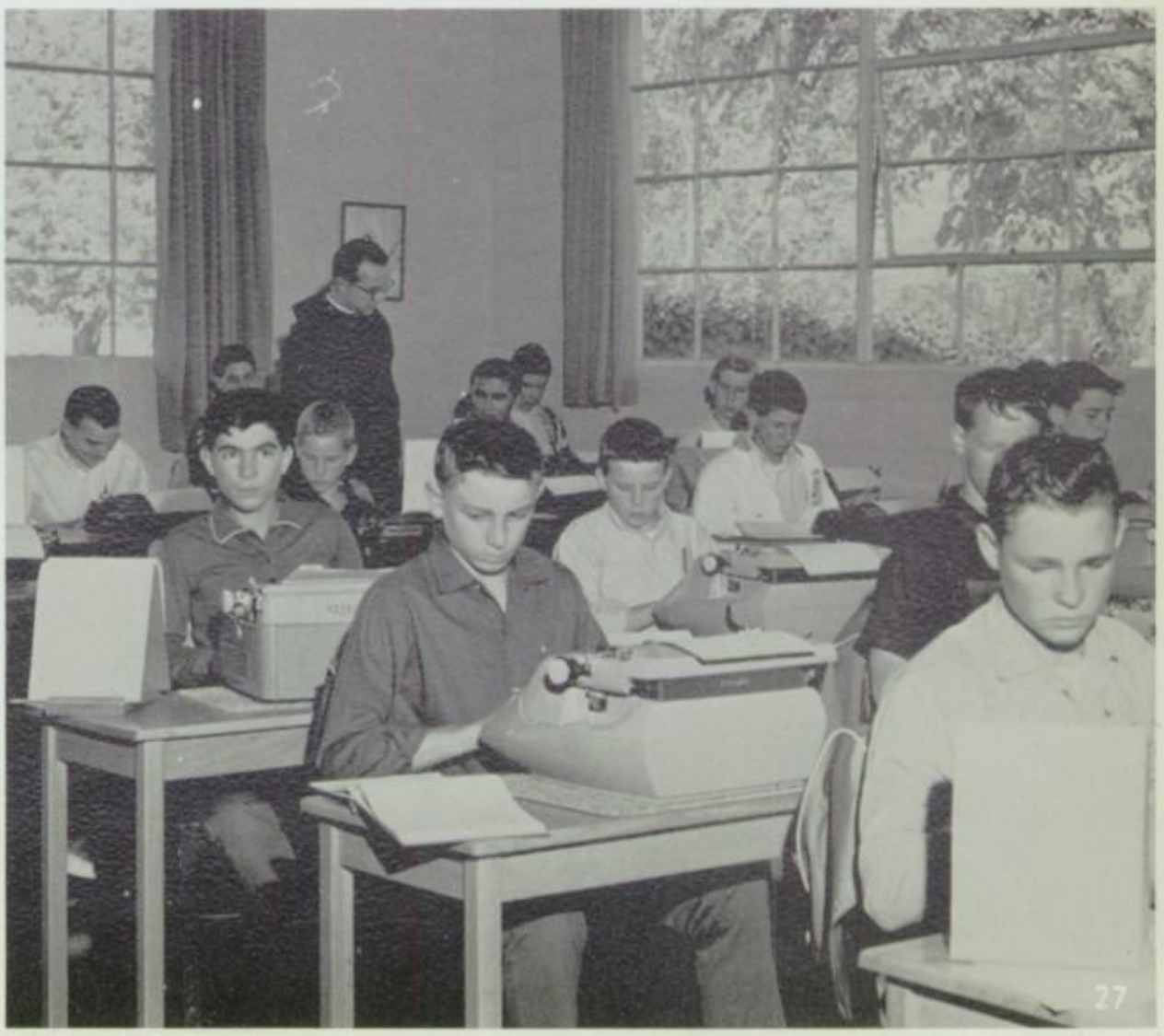

The Freshmen learned to type with all ten fingers under the tutorage of Father Blane.

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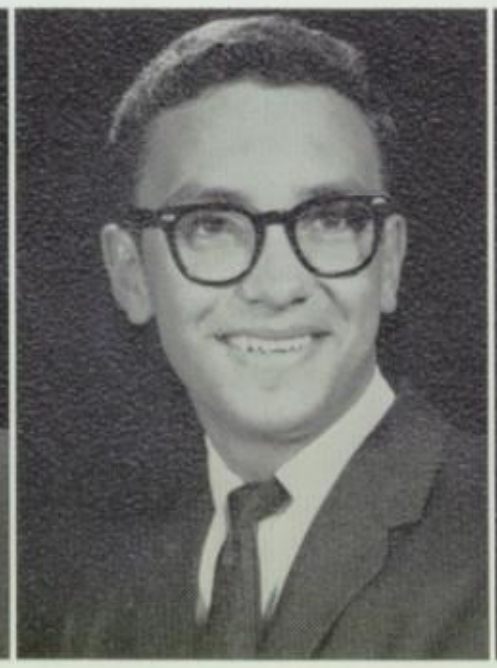

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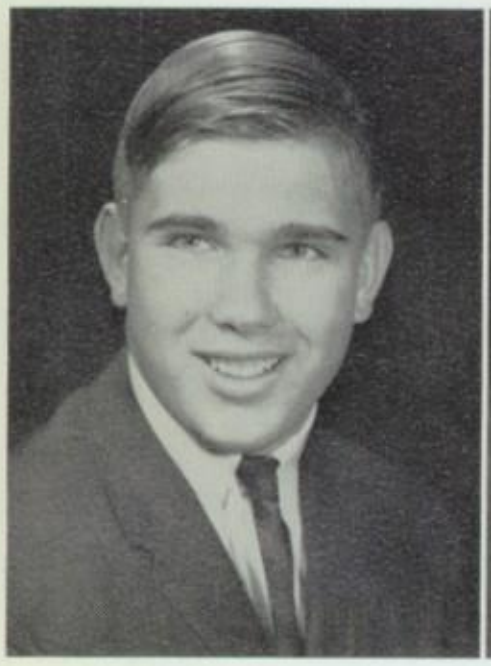

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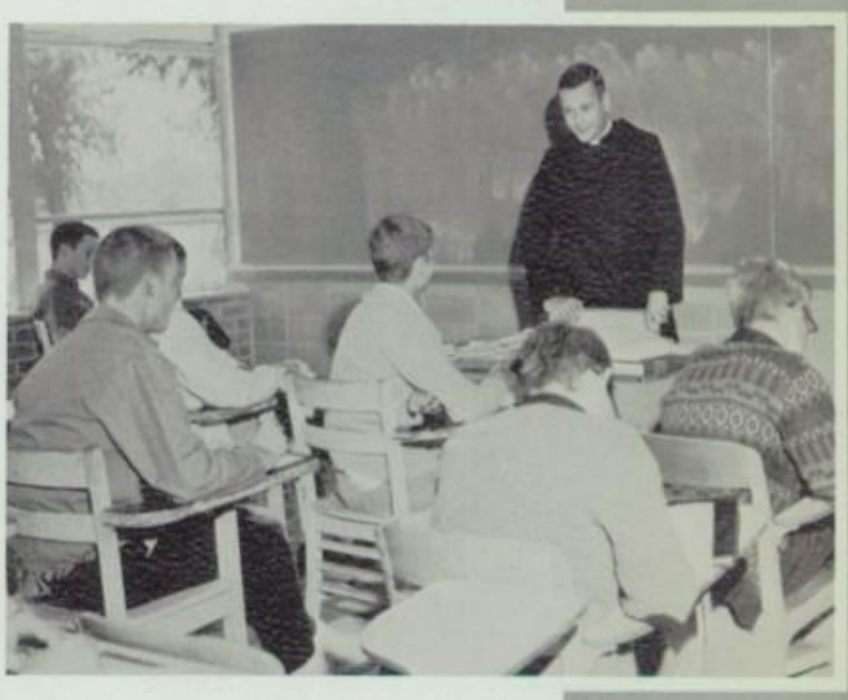
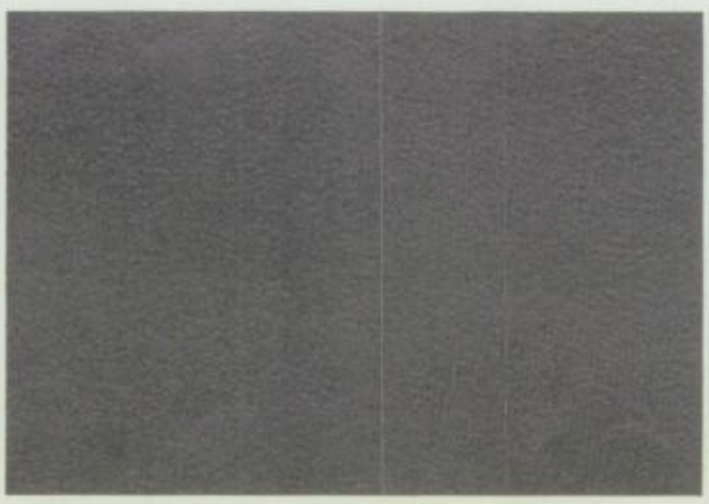
Tom Jersin gets his yearly haircut from Senior, Pat Kearns.





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JUNIORS

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Las Vegas, New Mexico

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Colorado Springs, Colorado

FRANK KOSEK
Florence, Colorado

CARL MULLER
London, England

TERRY MEYER
Boulder, Colorado

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MARTIN KINNA
Denver, Colorado

DAVE WERNSMAN
Fleming, Colorado

MIKE PECORARO
Gallup, New Mexico

JOHN SPRINGMAN
Alton, Illinois

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LE ROY BIERNACKI
Penrose, Colorado

KIM ROTERMUND
Breckenridge, Michigan

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Leadville, Colorado

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Canon City, Colo.

JOHN HAVENS
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BOB SLAVSKY
Lathrup Village, Mich.

CARL TOSETTO
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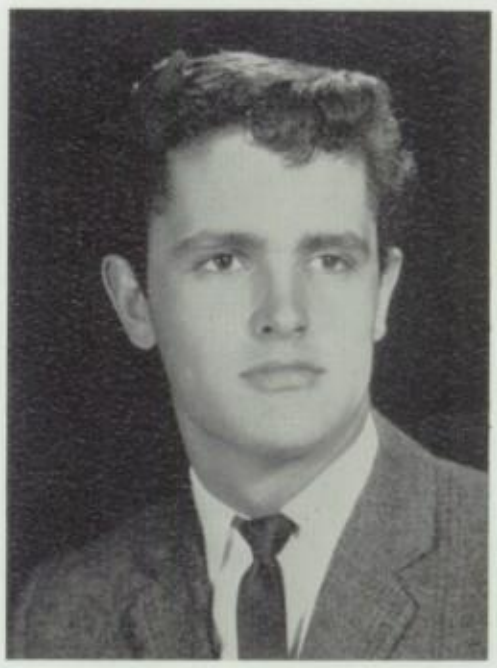

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Del Norte, Colo.

LUIS SUQUILANDA
Estado Bolivar, Venezuela

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Boulder, Colorado

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Canon City, Colo.

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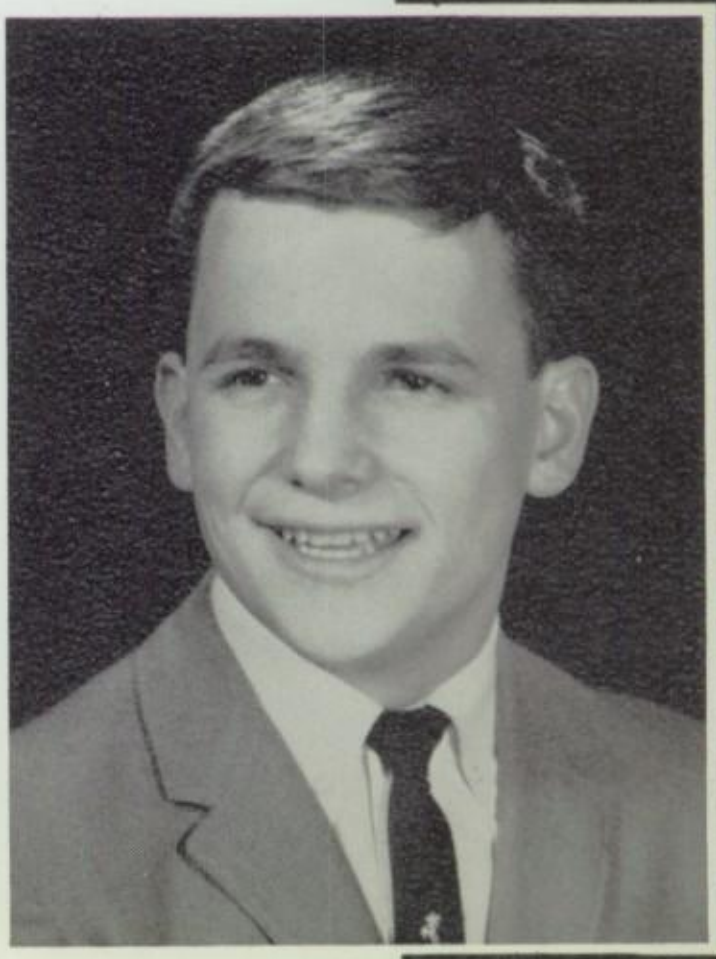
SENIORS

JAMES TONSO
Center, Colorado

National Honor Society 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; A Club 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; Ski Club 4; Baseball 1; Drama 4.

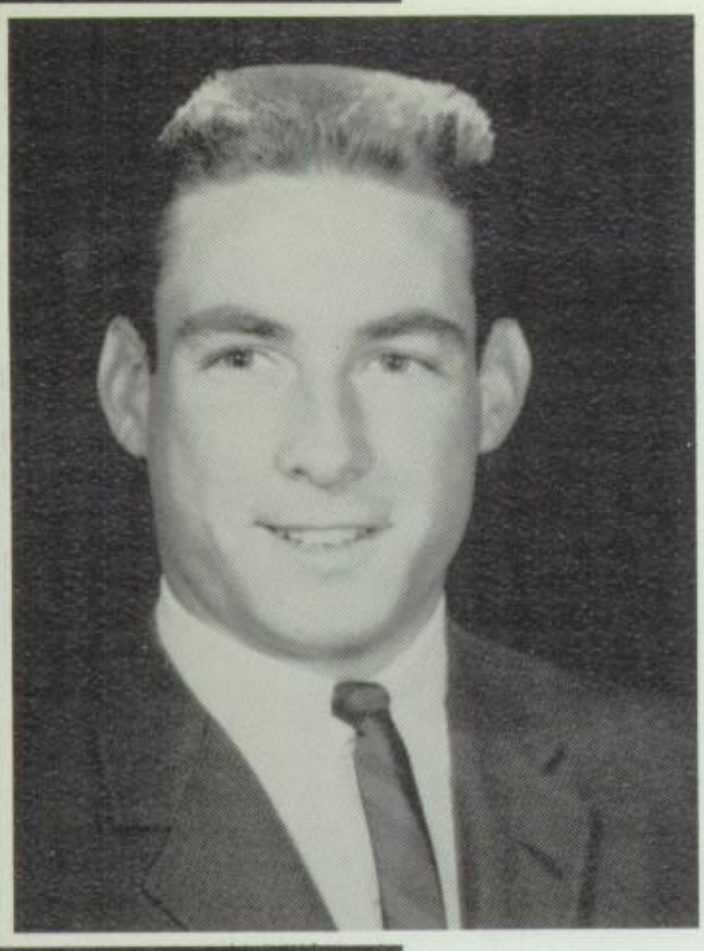
LARRY BARRETT
Cheyenne, Wyoming

A Club 4; Glee Club 2, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Drama 4.



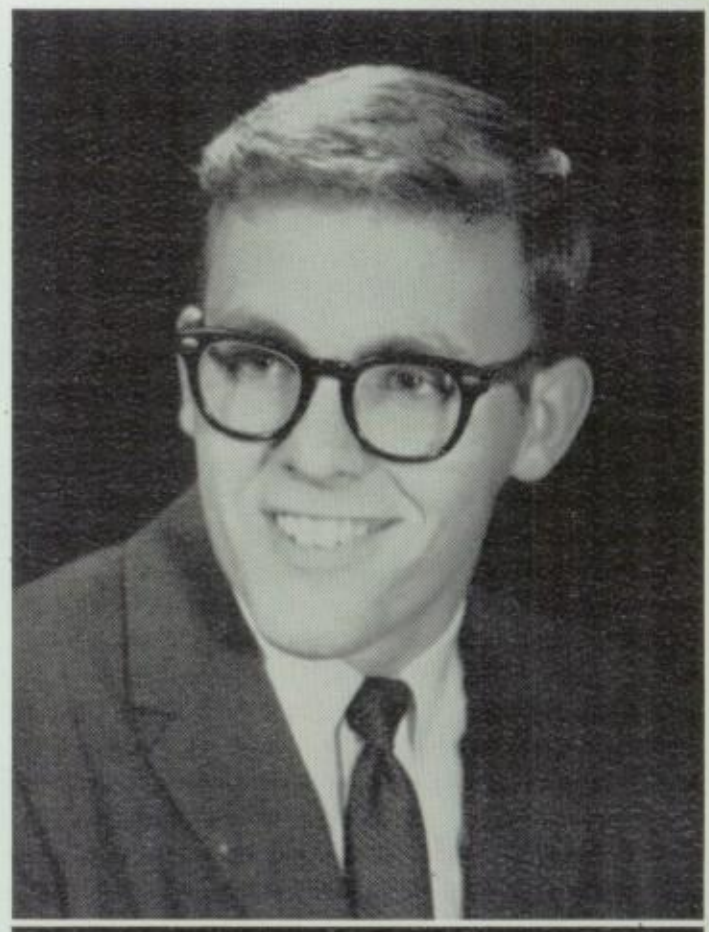
PATRICK KEARNS
Denver, Colorado

Chronicle Staff 1, 2, 3; A Club 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2; Baseball 1; Debate-Speech 1, 2, 3, 4; Bruin Staff 3, 4; Class Officer 3; Student Council 2, 3; National Forensic League 2, 3, 4; Ski Club 1, 2, 3; Band 3; Track 4.



KEVIN HOLCOMB
Maracaibo, Venezuela

Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4; A Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Bruin Staff 4; National Honor Society 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Debate-Speech 2; Class Officer 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1; Voice of Youth 3, 4.



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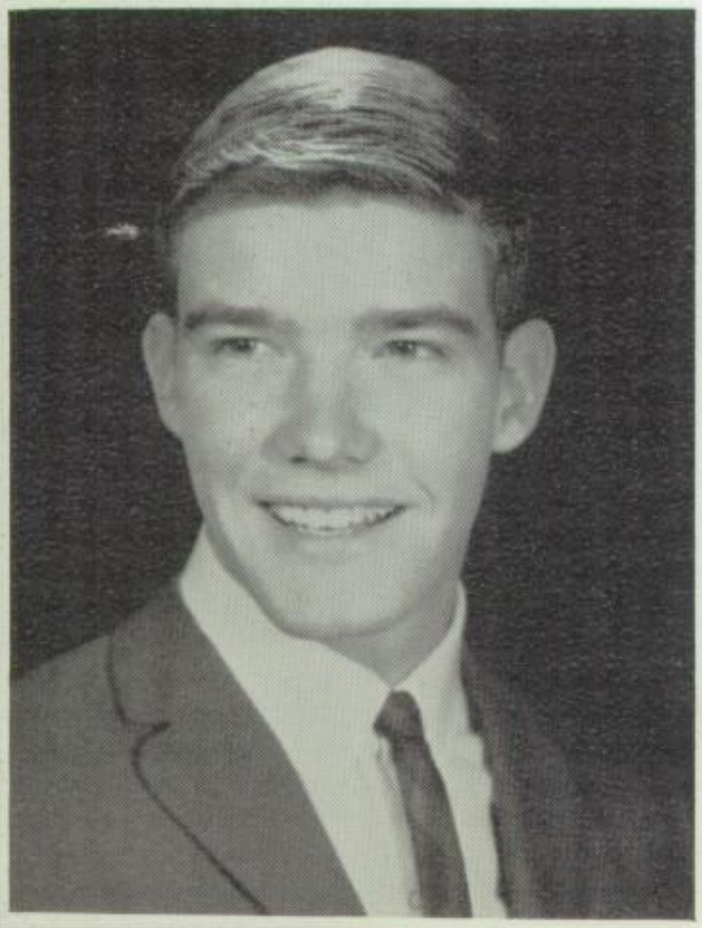
Canon City, Colorado

Football 3; Drama 3.

WILLIAM DUNN
Florence, Colorado



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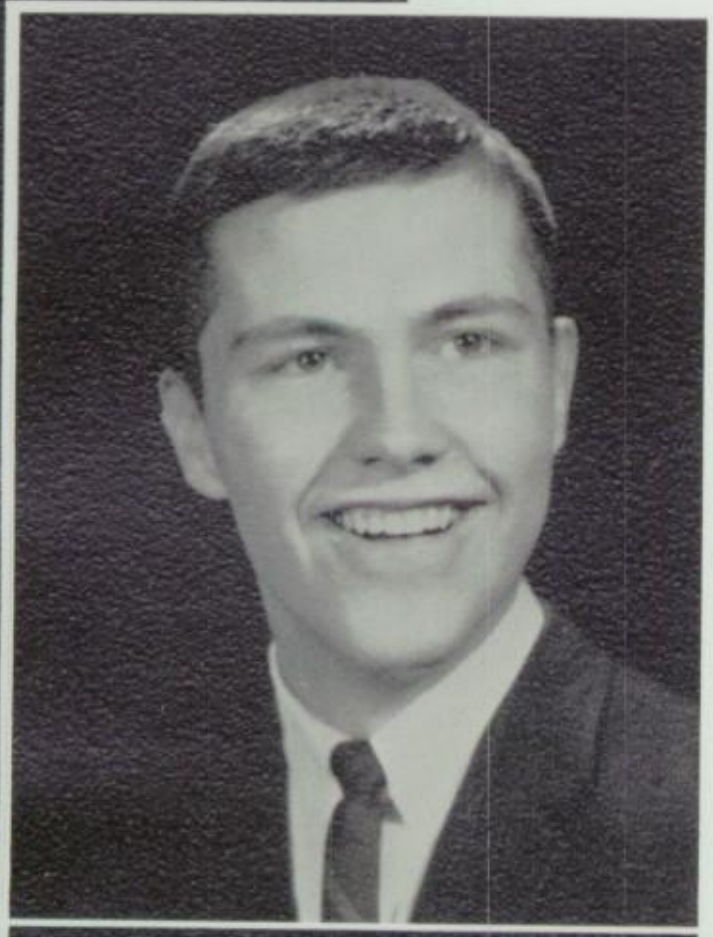
Santa Barbara,
California

Basketball 1; Debate-Speech 1; Chronicle Staff 1; Drum and Bugle 3; Baseball 1; Voice of Youth 4.

MICHAEL CLEMENT
Cleveland, Ohio

A Club 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Chronicle Editor 4; Class Officer 4; Bruin 4; Voice of Youth 3, 4.



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Sheridan, Wyoming

Class Officer 3; Baseball 1; A Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4.

TERRY O'BRIEN
Rochester, Minnesota

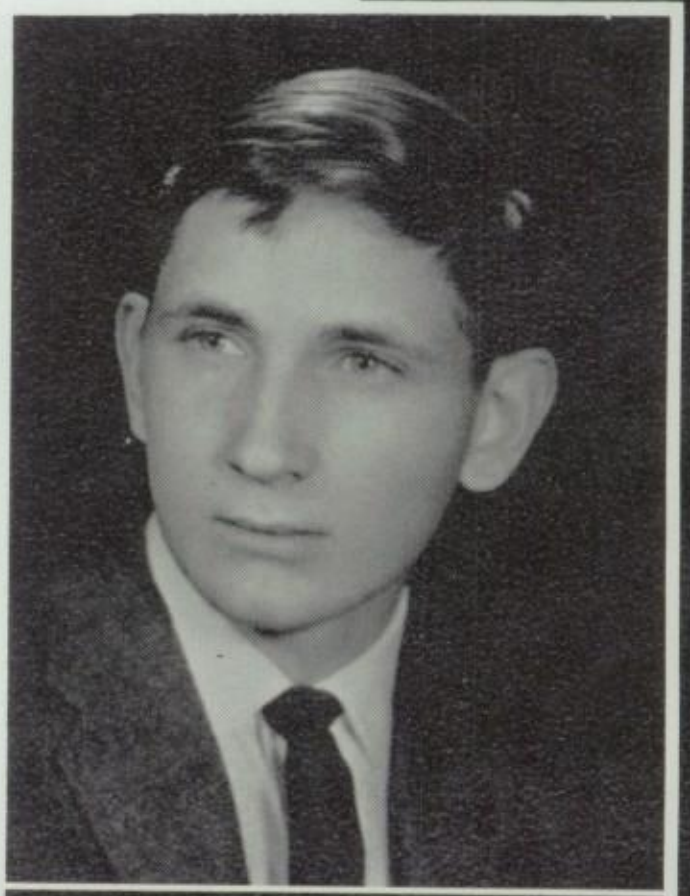
Glee Club 3, 4; A Club 4; Bruin 4; Athletic Trainer 3, 4; Student Council 4; Drama 4.

THOMAS HICKEY
Taipei, Formosa

Chronicle 3; A Club 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; BRUIN Editor 4; Student Council 4; Drum and Bugle 1; Baseball 1; Drama 3, 4.

LARRY HENKEL
Victoria, Texas

Debate-Speech 3; National Honor Society 3, 4.



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Brush, Colorado

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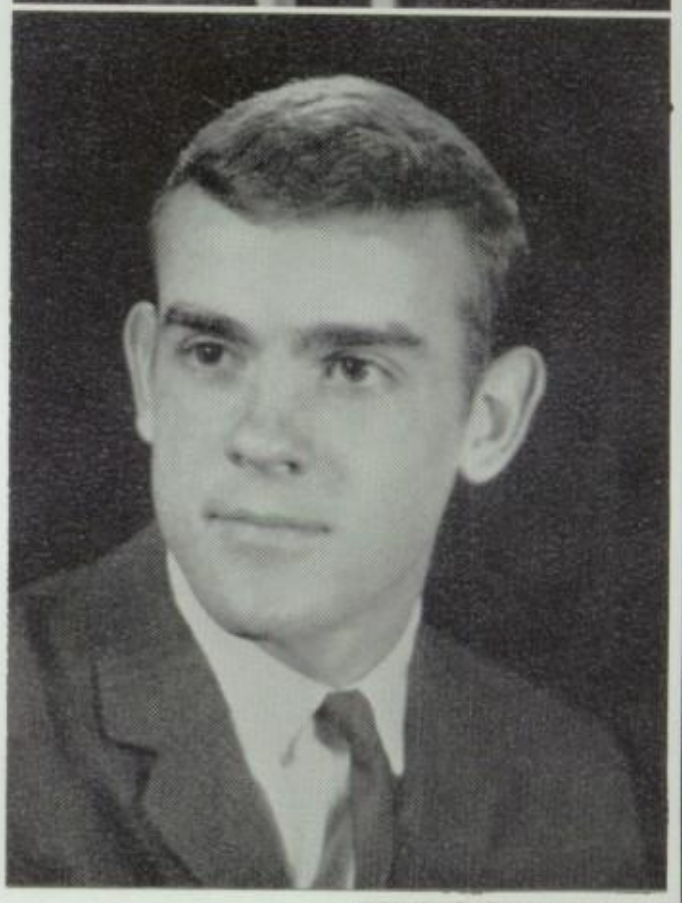

GEORGE KLECAN
Albuquerque,
New Mexico

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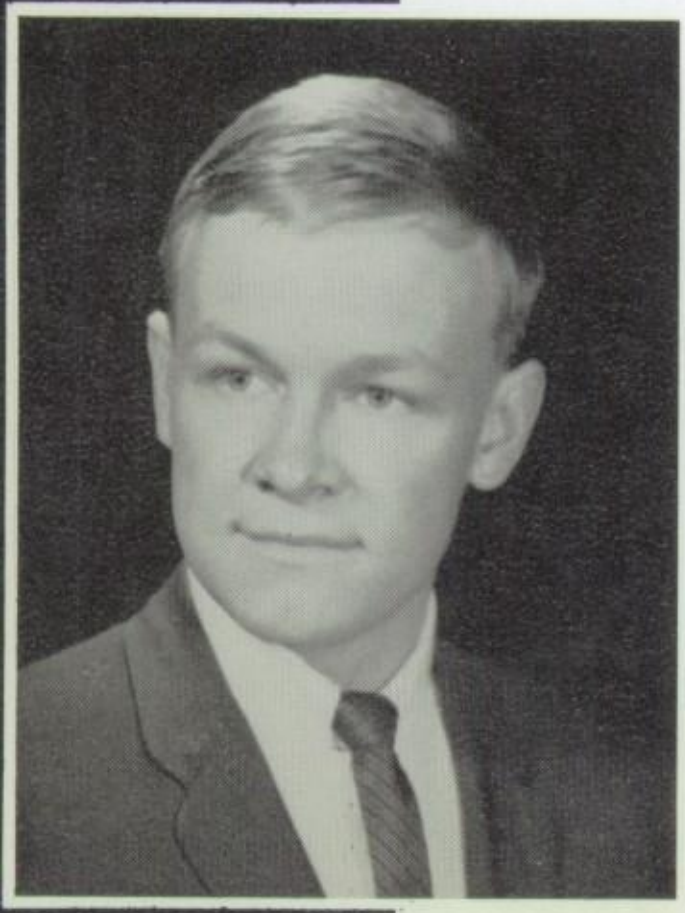

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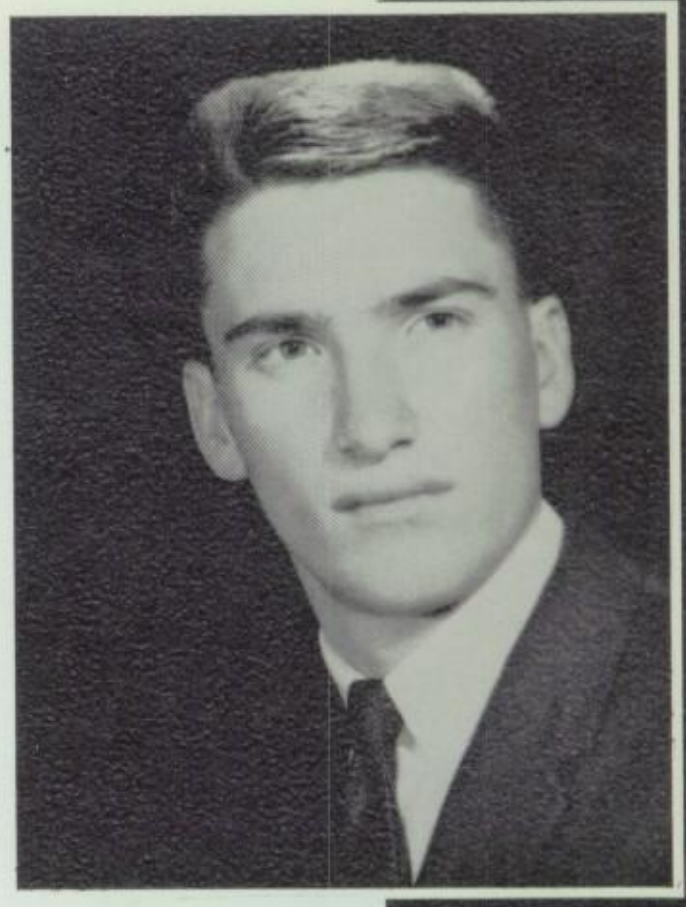
Buffalo, Wyoming

Football 2, 3, 4; Ski Club 1, 2, 3, 4.



CHARLES
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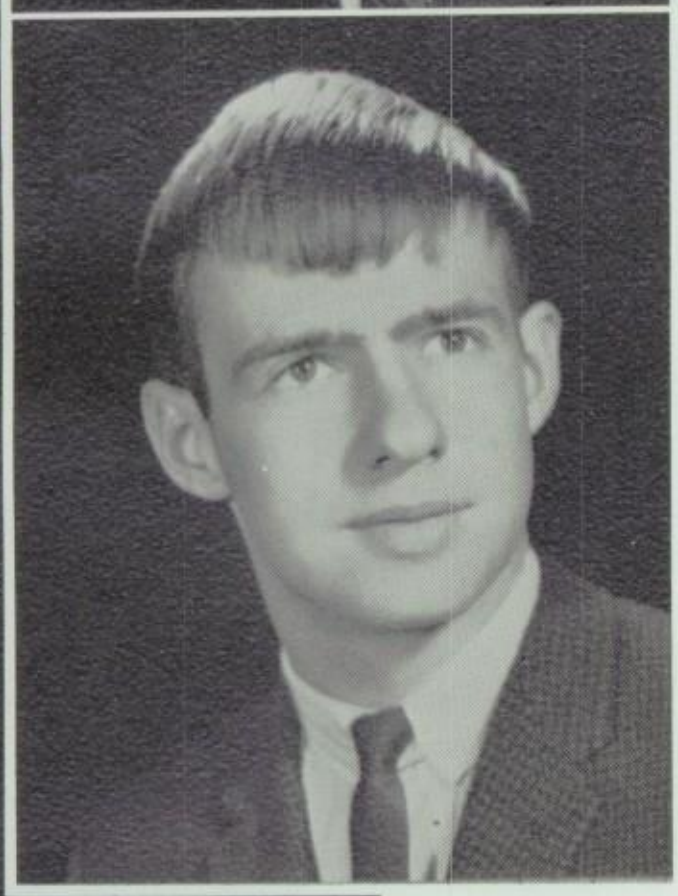
Florence, Colorado

A Club 3, 4; Football 1, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 3, 4.

REYES GARCIA
Antonito, Colorado

Basketball 1; Debate-Speech 2; Chronicle 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Officer 1, 3; Baseball 1; Voice of Youth 4.



WLADIMIR
SENUTOVITCH
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Glee Club 2; Chronicle 4; Ski Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Voice of Youth 4; Radio Club 4; Track 4.

STEVEN
TUCHFARBER
Las Vegas, Nevada

A Club 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 4; Drama 4.

MICHAEL DODGE
Oklahoma City,
Oklahoma

National Honor Society 3, 4; Nimrods 4.

HAROLD SPENCER
Eureka, Utah

Football 2; Ski Club 2, 3, 4; Voice of Youth 3, 4; Drama 4.

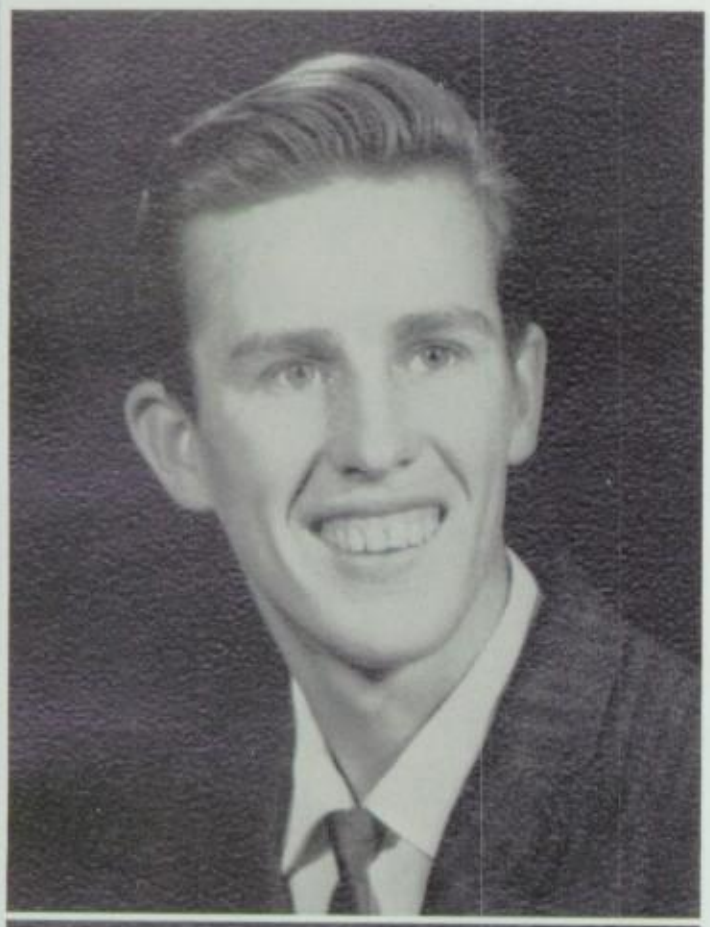
DONALD OLSHOVE
Glenwood Springs,
Colorado

National Honor Society 3, 4; Golden Key 4; Science Fair 3, 4; Radio Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Chess Club 4.

CARL JAVERNICK
Canon City, Colorado

JOHN HAMMOND
Chicago, Illinois

A Club 4; Glee Club 3; Ski Club 1, 2, 3, 4.



DAN GARRETT
Canon City, Colorado

Track 4.

RON MACALUSO
Wheat Ridge, Colorado

A Club 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1; Chronicle 1, 2; Ski Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1.

CHRISTOPHER SLAVSKY
Orchard Lake, Michigan

A Club 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Officer 4; Ski Club 3, 4.

MICHAEL
KARLINGER
Pueblo, Colorado

Football 1; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Chronicle 3, 4; Drama 3.

SAM QUIGLEY
Eureka, Utah

A Club 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 3; Ski Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama 3.

DANIEL KETTLE
Westcliffe, Colorado

Football 1; Basketball 1, 3; Glee Club 3; National Honor Society 4; Ski Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4.

WILLIAM TRUJILLO
Pagosa Springs,
Colorado

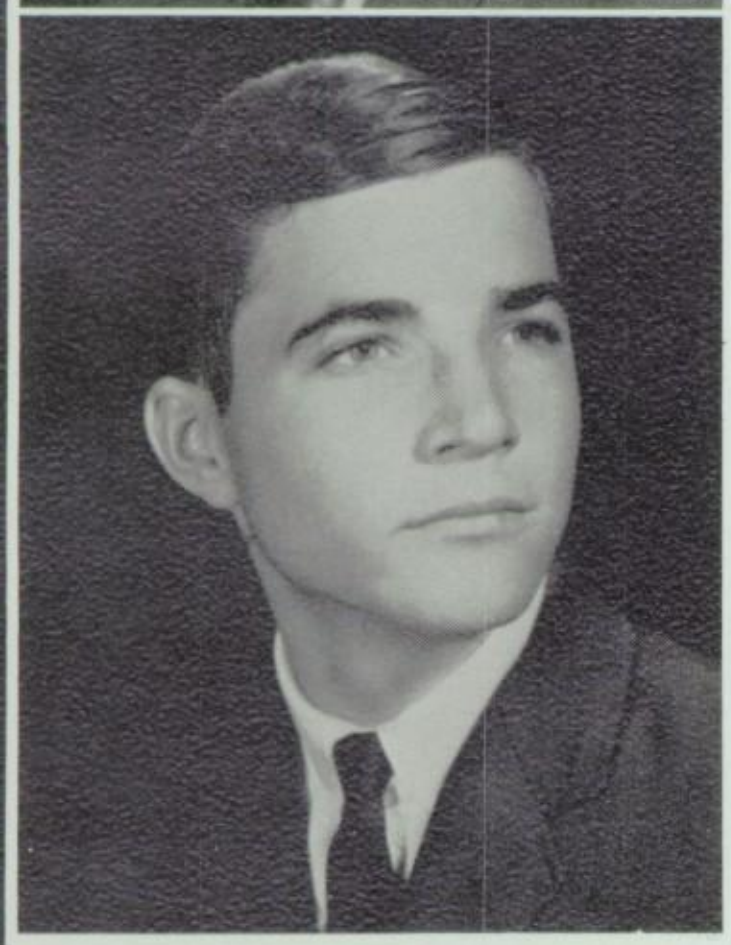
National Honor Society 4.

DAVID FASSLER
Canon City, Colorado

A Club 4; Football 1; Basketball 4.

SAMUEL HUNTER
Sikeston, Missouri

Football 1; Glee Club 3; National Honor Society 3, 4; Chronicle 2, 3; Science Fair 2; Student Council 4; Ski Club 3, 4; Voice of Youth 3, 4; Radio Club 1, 2; Writers Club 2.

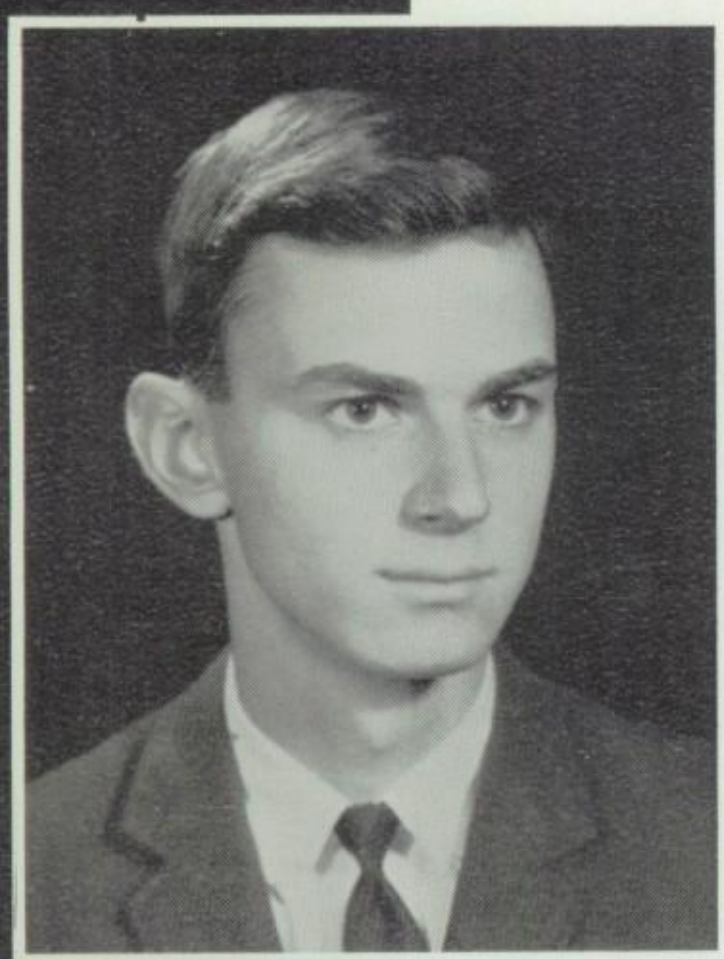


FRANK GALLIVAN
Cheyenne, Wyoming

Ski Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama 3, 4; A Club 3, 4; Football manager 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Voice of Youth 2, 3, 4.

ROBERT BEAUDETTE
Raton, New Mexico

A Club 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Chronicle 4; BRUIN 4.



DREW WINSTON
Kirkwood, Missouri

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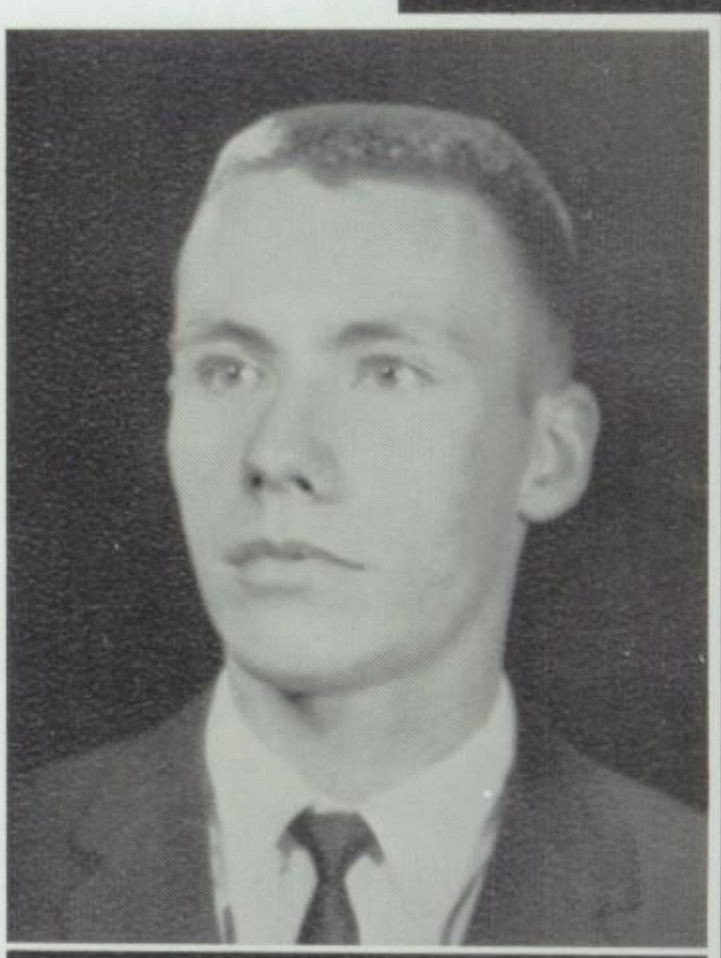
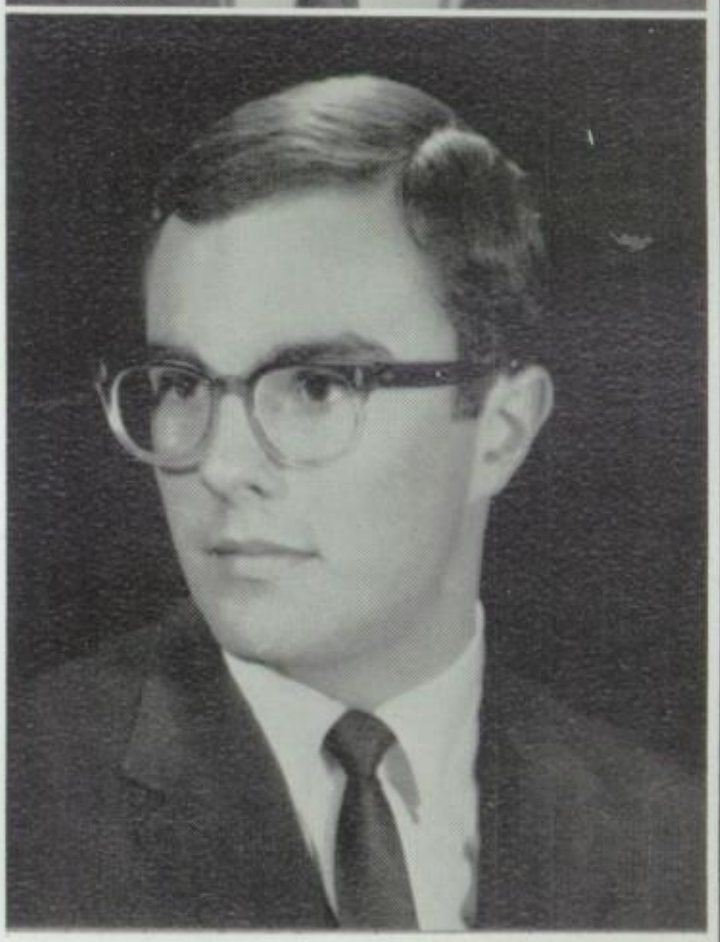


JOHN BROWNE
Levittown, L.I.,
New York

Radio Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Chess Club 4.



CECIL FITCH
Eureka, Utah

A Club 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3; Ski Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

DENNIS LEMAN
Douglas, Wyoming

A Club 3, 4; Basketball manager 1, 2, 3, 4.

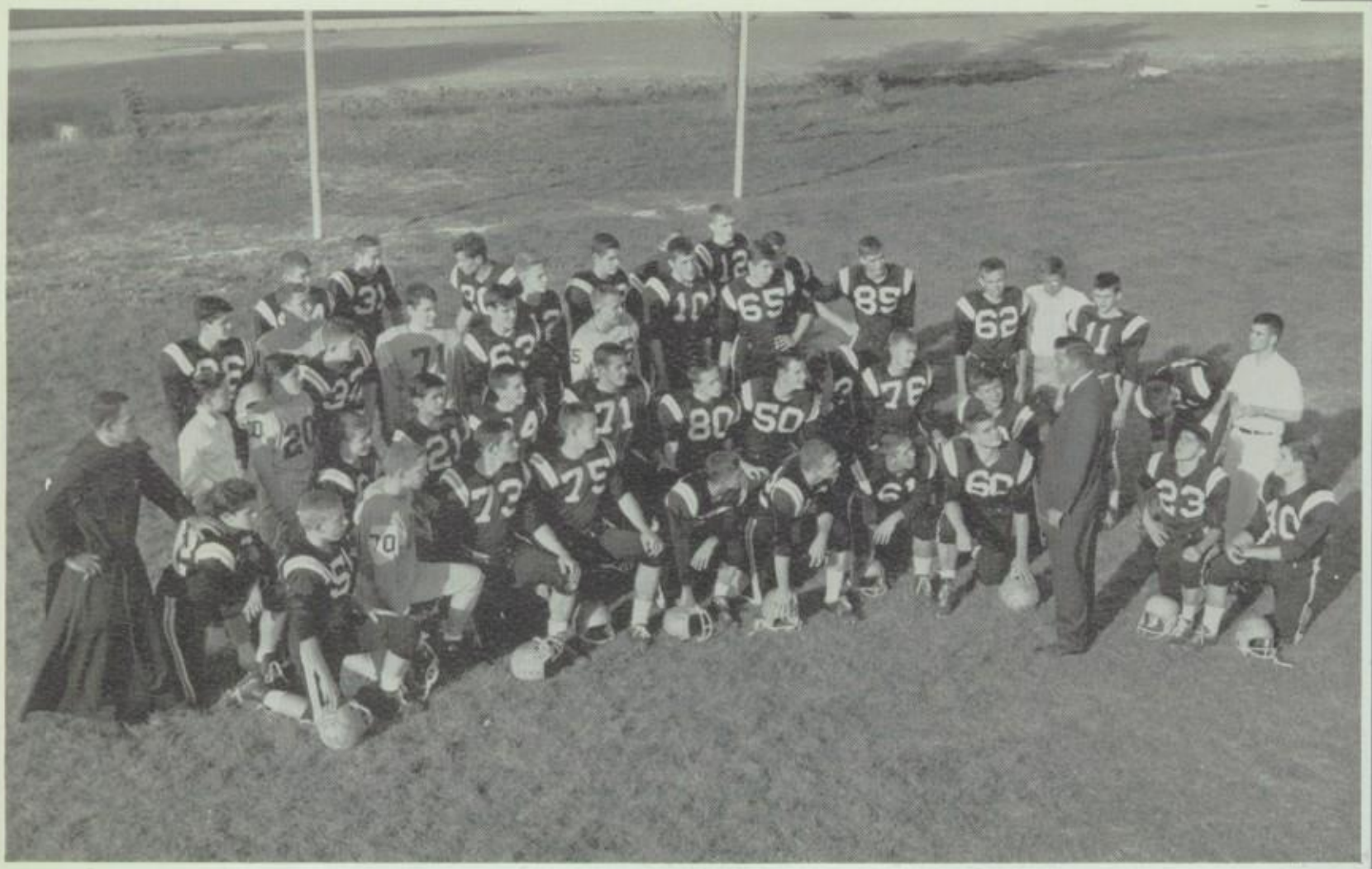
JOHN MEDLEY
Colorado Springs,
Colorado

HERBERT
SCHWIETERMAN
Canon City, Colorado

HERBERT DIERKS
Canon City, Colorado
Football 1.

DAVID RYAN
Colby, Kansas
Glee Club 4; Nimrods
3, 4.

SPORTS



Jack Springman
George Long
Sam Quigley
Chris Slavsky
John Tonso
Jim Tonso
Ron Macaluso
Jim Hudson
Luis Suquilanda
Carlos Ordonez
Bob Thompson
Mike Donohue
Dave Gonzales
Mike Powell
Tom O'Keefe
Jim Beaudette
Carl Muller
Chuck Javernick
John Knebel
Jim Fitzgerald
Dan Tafoya
Bill Thiebaut
Tim Monaghan
Bob Tedesco
John Fitch
Jim Swift
John Hammond
Larry Barrett
Chuck Wernsman
Pat Kearns
Curt Kaiser
Kevin Holcomb
Jim Solfisburg
Mike Barrett
Tom Hickey
Vic Bachechi
Tom Zimmerman
Joe Rodgers
Pat Sweeney
Al Miller
Terry O'Brien

FOOTBALL

A new era began in Abbey history this year when Mr. William Apgar arrived from Rocky Ford to coach the Bruins. High spirits and bounding enthusiasm were keynotes accompanying this new era. A team that was expected not to win a single game, ended the season with a 4-4-1 record. Our Bruins were young and inexperienced but with 17 years of experience in coaching behind him, Mr. Apgar channeled these young talents into a proper direction which has brightened the athletic future of The Abbey School.

ABBEY
4

MONTROSE
7

ABBEY
14

LAS ANIMOS
0

ABBEY
12

ROCKY FORD
0

ABBEY
25

WALSENBURG
0

ABBEY
0

LARAMIE
21

ABBEY
6

RATON
12

ABBEY
34

TRINIDAD CATHOLIC
0

ABBEY
12

PUEBLO CATHOLIC
12

ABBEY
12

PUEBLO CATHOLIC
14

4 **7**

On a wet and raining night the Bears opened their season play against the Montrose Tigers. The Abbey defense held tough through the whole game except for one play in the second period when a Montrose halfback went around right end for forty yards which set up the sole touchdown of the game. Abbey scored twice during the contest. Both scores were safeties which were set up on punts by Kevin Holcomb. Final score—Abbey 4 Montrose 7.

The board of strategy talks things over. Coach Bill Apgar flanked by Jim Siegel and Father Thomas Trujillo.

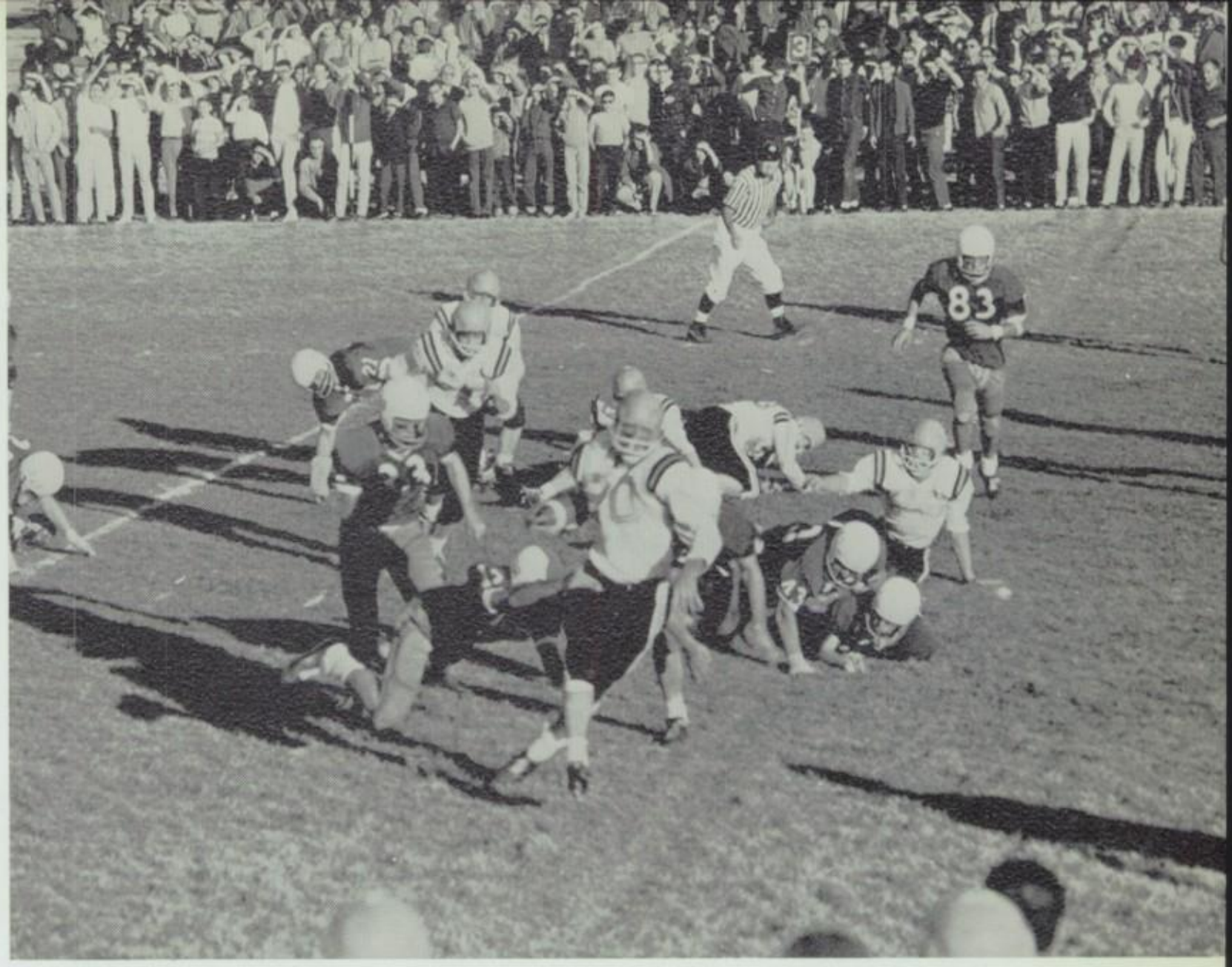
The two-way stretch that failed by inches.

14 **0**

Brilliant kicking by Kevin Holcomb and excellent passing by Jim Swift were the key factors in the Bruins first triumph of the season. The opening score came on a 58 yard pass play from Jim Swift to Kevin Holcomb. The second score was set up as Jim Solfisburg intercepted a Trojan aerial. Three plays later Solfisburg carried over from the one. Holcomb's punts kept the Trojans in constant trouble throughout the entire game. Swift's timely completions kept Las Animas on defense the majority of the game. Final score—Abbey 14 Las Animas 0.

12 **0**

After recovering from bitter defeat in the first game, the Bears marched into Rocky Ford and shut out their second opponent in three starts. Victory never tasted sweeter for Coach Apgar. Abbey drew first blood in the contest midway through the first period when Jim Swift threw a 38 yard touchdown pass to Kevin Holcomb. Defense was the main factor in the victory as the Abbey's hard-rushing line kept the Melloneers in their own field throughout most of the game. With one second remaining on the clock, the Rocky Ford quarterback was intercepted by Tom Hickey who went 20 yards for the final six points of the game. Final score—Abbey 12 Rocky Ford 0.



Captain Chris Slavsky sits on the ground and watches Jim Solfisburg start on a gainer in the homecoming game.

25 0

Wearing their new uniforms for the first time and playing host to St. Mary's of Walsenburg, our Bruins made our guests feel most unwelcome as they made them our third shutout victim of the season. Although reserves played much of this game, Swift and Holcomb again sparkled in this Abbey victory. Holcomb's kicks again were nothing but sensational and again Swift threw a touchdown pass to Holcomb. This one covered 68 yards. Jim Solfisburg continued to run over opponents as he scored one touchdown and helped to set up another. Joe Rodgers hit the scoring column for the first time this season as he went 19 yards on one play and carried over on the next. Final score—Abbey 25 St. Mary's 0.

0 21

For the first time in thirty-eight outings, our Bruins went down in defeat without registering a point. Although the statistics showed the teams to be equal, the Plainsmen from Laramie capitalized on the Abbey mistakes. Solfisburg, Swift, and Slavsky turned in their usual fine games. The game marked the fourth year in a row that the Bears have gone down in defeat to Laramie. The Bears have yet to win a game against the Plainsmen. Final score—Abbey 0 Laramie 21.

A tense moment in the Homecoming game.

6	12

If statistics counted the Bears would have a feather to put in their bonnet as they would have defeated one of New Mexico's top rated teams, the Raton Tigers. The Tigers capitalized on two plays in the game which enabled them to score. The first was a pass play on the second play of the game and the second was a third period pass play which was deflected and came down in the arms of a Raton defender who had an open field ahead of him. The New Mexican team couldn't stop our offense and couldn't run against our defense. On the final play of the game the Bears scored their only T.D. of the game as Jim Swift hit Tom Hickey in the end zone. Final score—Abbey 6 Raton 12.

Jim Tonso takes a pitch-on from Jim Swift as two Irish close in for the kill.

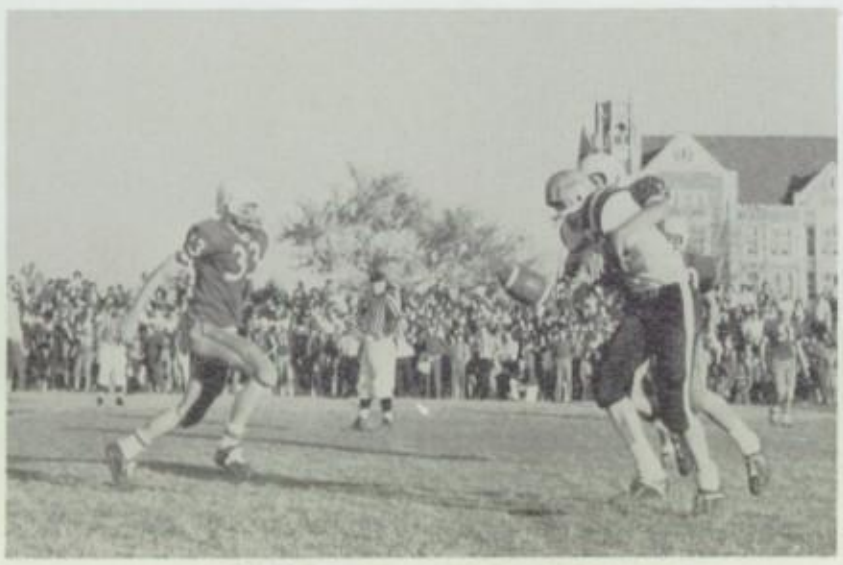
34 **0**

The calendar read November 3, Homecoming for the Trinidad Catholic Tigers. It also showed the Bears had been unsuccessful in their two outings and had not had a victory since September 28. It was time for a Bruin victory and well did the Bears put on a display of power. On the first play of the second quarter, Swift threw 60 yards to Holcomb for the score and again late in the second period Swift threw to Holcomb for a 53 yard touchdown play. Sophomore fullback, Carlos Ordonez, playing his first game as a starter, scored twice during the contest. Jim Solfisburg was his usual self as he picked up a great deal of yardage and scored one touchdown. Final score—Abbey 34 Trinidad Catholic 0.

12 **12**

Before a crowd of 4,000 fans, the Bruins played Pueblo Catholic in the Abbey thirty-first Homecoming tilt. The teams were evenly matched and it was a hard fought game from start to finish. The Bears drew first blood late in the first period when Jim Swift intercepted a Pueblo pass and returned it to the Shamrock one yard line. On the next play Jim Solfisburg carried over. Later in the fourth quarter, the Bears scored their second touchdown of the game when Swift threw 24 yards to his favorite end, Kevin Holcomb. But the Shamrocks were not finished yet. Fired up and determined, they returned to the field of play and pulled the game out of the fire as they scored two touchdowns to tie up the game. Final score—Abbey 12 Pueblo Catholic 12.

Jim Solfisburg picks up a few precious yards against the Shamrocks in the homecoming game.



Tom Hickey gets a Bear-hug from one of Pueblo's defenders on a pass play. Couldn't be interference?

Kevin Holcomb hangs on to a Swift pass and scores against the Shamrocks.

Game photographer Father Bonaventure takes a half time break.

12 14

After battling to a 12-12 tie, the Bears and Shamrocks met one week later to determine the champion for the S.C.P.L. Playing without the services of Kevin Holcomb, the Bears fought to the bitter end. Dominating the first two and a half periods of play, the Shamrocks scored the initial 14 points of the game. Midway through the third period Jim Solfisburg ran up the middle for 45 yards and the Bears began to melt. Play after play the Bears ran over the Shamrocks. The Bruin opening score came early in the fourth period when Jim Swift dropped back to pass. No receivers were open so Swift ran the ball into the zone from 14 yards out. The fourth period was a fine exhibition of Abbey offense but the Bruins managed to score only once and that came late in the game when Swift completed two consecutive passes to Tom Hickey. The final score—Abbey 12 Pueblo Catholic 14.

The Bruins talk over the game with Coach Apgar as the "Mainliner" is ready to head for home.

A CLUB

Under the able leadership of Steve Tuchfarber, President; Bob Beaudette, Secretary; Pat Kearns, Treasurer, the members of the school's honor athletic organization, the A Club, had a profitable year. As usual the club was responsible for the annual Homecoming Dance. However, the high point for the members came at the annual picnic and steak fry at Oak Creek Canyon, where all who attended were entitled to three of the best steaks in the state of Colorado, so many of them thought.

Pictured above are: M. Bakewell, J. Hudson, A. Miller, L. Barrett, F. Gallivan, J. Solfisburg, J. Hammond, S. Quigley, R. Macaluso, C. Slavsky, J. Beaudette, P. Sweeney, T. O'Keefe, S. Cervi, D. Leman, D. Fassler, T. O'Brien, J. Swift, Father Alan Schwab, C. Muller, C. Javernick, J. Tonso, C. Fitch, M. Clement, T. Hickey, K. Holcomb, S. Tuchfarber, R. Beaudette, P. Kearns.

Coltharp and Rossi make ready to ride to the top.

Gallivan shows good form.

SKI CLUB

One more run for Senutovitch.

Herrmann, Brandenburg, Father Gerald Walker, Yob, Marincic, Williams, and Korchak at the top of Monarch.

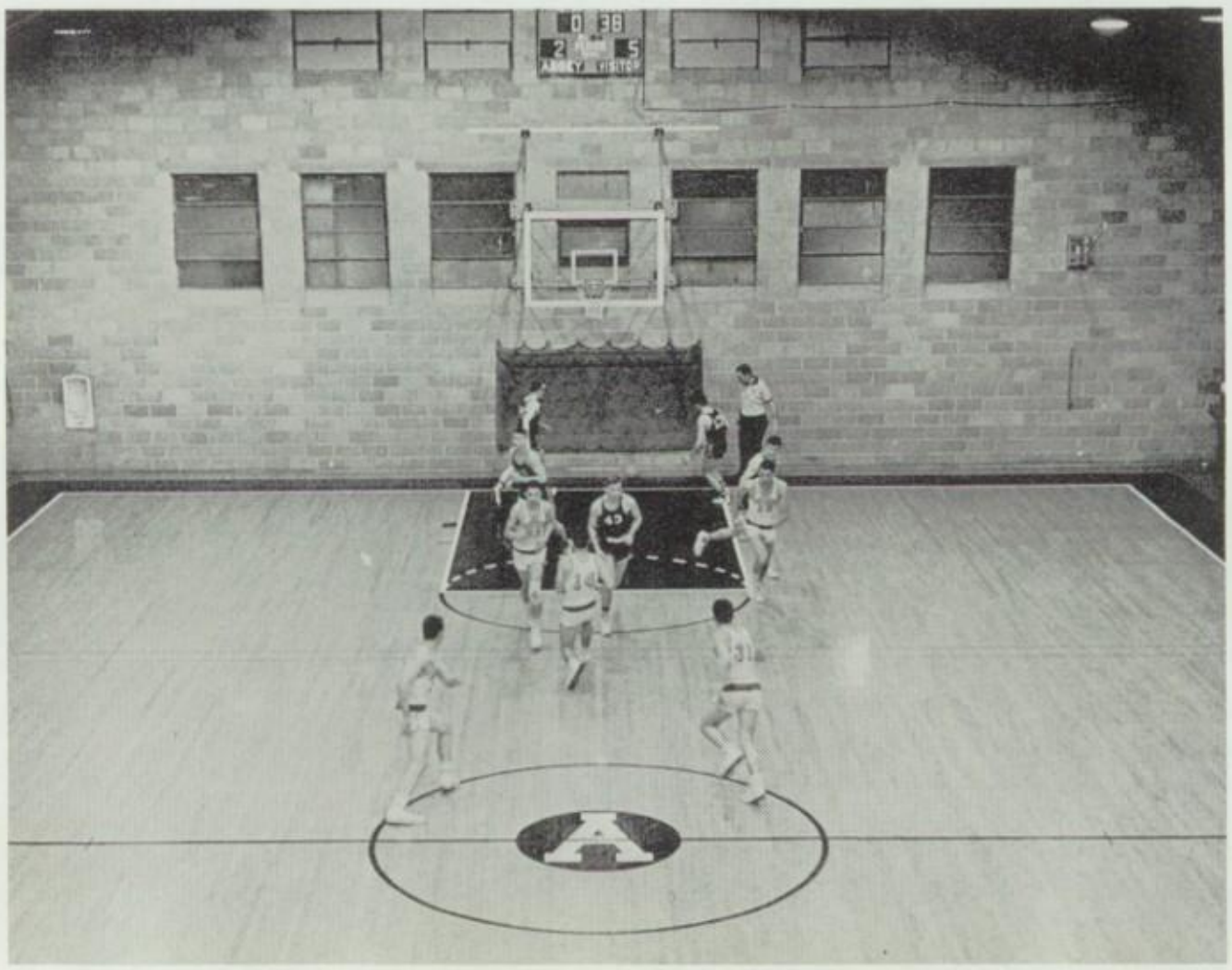
Ski officers Sam Hunter, Sam Quigley, and Cecil Fitch pose with moderator, Father Gerald Walker.

In a brief span of six years, the Abbey Ski Club has become the most popular activity during the winter school program. This season Abbey busses transported more than 250 skiers to the alpine heights of Monarch Ski Area. Six trips provided spectacular fun in the heart of SKI COUNTRY, U.S.A. Owing mainly to the instructional program and careful supervision of the skiers, the season ended without a single major accident.

BASKETBALL

Manager Nic Ferri is about to toss the wet towel in someone's face as the Bruins huddle for a time out.

It will be a long time before the memories of this basketball season fade away. Under the able direction of Mr. Apgar and with full co-operation of the team and tremendous support from the student body, the '64 Bruins are considered the best basketball team in Abbey history as they compiled a 19-3 record. This spirit of co-operation was the thing most evident in every varsity game played, in every play, and in every basket made. This spirit excelled in the Bears' rematch with Salida and also the second half of the second game with Pueblo Catholic. Even as the Bears lost, they gave out 100%, kept their poise, and still looked like the best team on the floor.

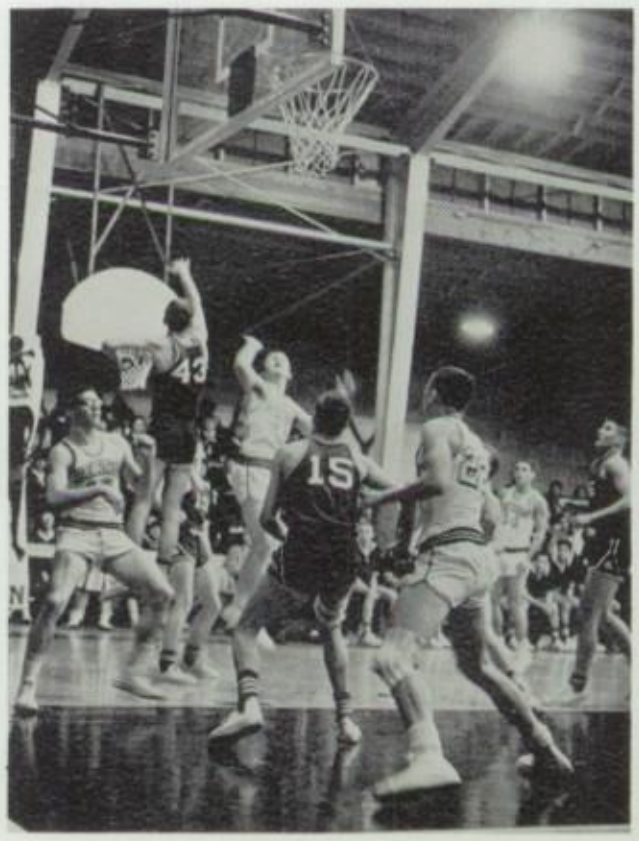


It's all Abbey as the Bears control the ball against the Trinidad Tigers.

VARSITY TEAM—*Row One:* Dennis Leman, Kevin Holcomb, Mr. Apgar, Jim Swift, Terry O'Brien. *Row Two:* Morgan Bakewell, Jim Solfisburg, Dave Fassler, Larry Barrett, Tom O'Keefe, Mike Clement, Steve Cervi, Tom Hickey, Kim Rotermund.

SEASON'S RESULTS

Abbey	82-57	Pueblo County
Abbey	70-55	Holy Family
Abbey	56-46	La Junta
Abbey	72-29	Cathedral
Abbey	74-52	Fowler
Abbey	64-67	Salida
Abbey	78-38	Trinidad Catholic
Abbey	71-55	Pueblo Catholic
Abbey	62-27	Walsenburg
Abbey	74-54	Montrose
Abbey	69-50	Trinidad Catholic
Abbey	37-32	Pueblo Catholic
Abbey	79-45	Pueblo County
Abbey	82-45	Walsenburg
Abbey	80-51	Salida
Abbey	70-43	La Junta
Abbey	84-26	Fowler
Abbey	48-49	Pueblo Catholic
Abbey	79-50	Trinidad Catholic
Abbey	67-48	Mount Carmel
Abbey	54-57	Regis
Abbey	64-50	St. Mary's



The big question: Where is the ball?

Old Barney lets fly as two Bluejays watch helplessly.

Dave Fassler squeezes the old orange as he out rebounds the Bluejays in Abbey's win over Denver Cathedral.

THE B TEAM—*Row One:* Rick Ferri, Pat Sweeney. *Row Two:* Mike Campbell, Tom Christe, Kevin Cummings, Mike Barrett, Jack Woolley, Joe Rodgers, Carl Muller, Bob Muller, Charles Overton, John Havens, Charles Jawetz, Vito Trujillo, Jim McMahon, Dave Wernsman, Terry Bath.

FRESHMAN TEAM—*Row One:* Rick Arrighetti, Brother Timothy Tierney, Joe Walker. *Row Two:* Kevin O'Keefe, Jim Long, Bill Cannon, Bill Kettle, Myles Sullivan, Eamon Murphy, Dick Arensdorf, Tim Bath, Monte Fryt, Tom Closset, Steve Cook, Bob Hickey, Dan McElhattan, Kevin Stransky.

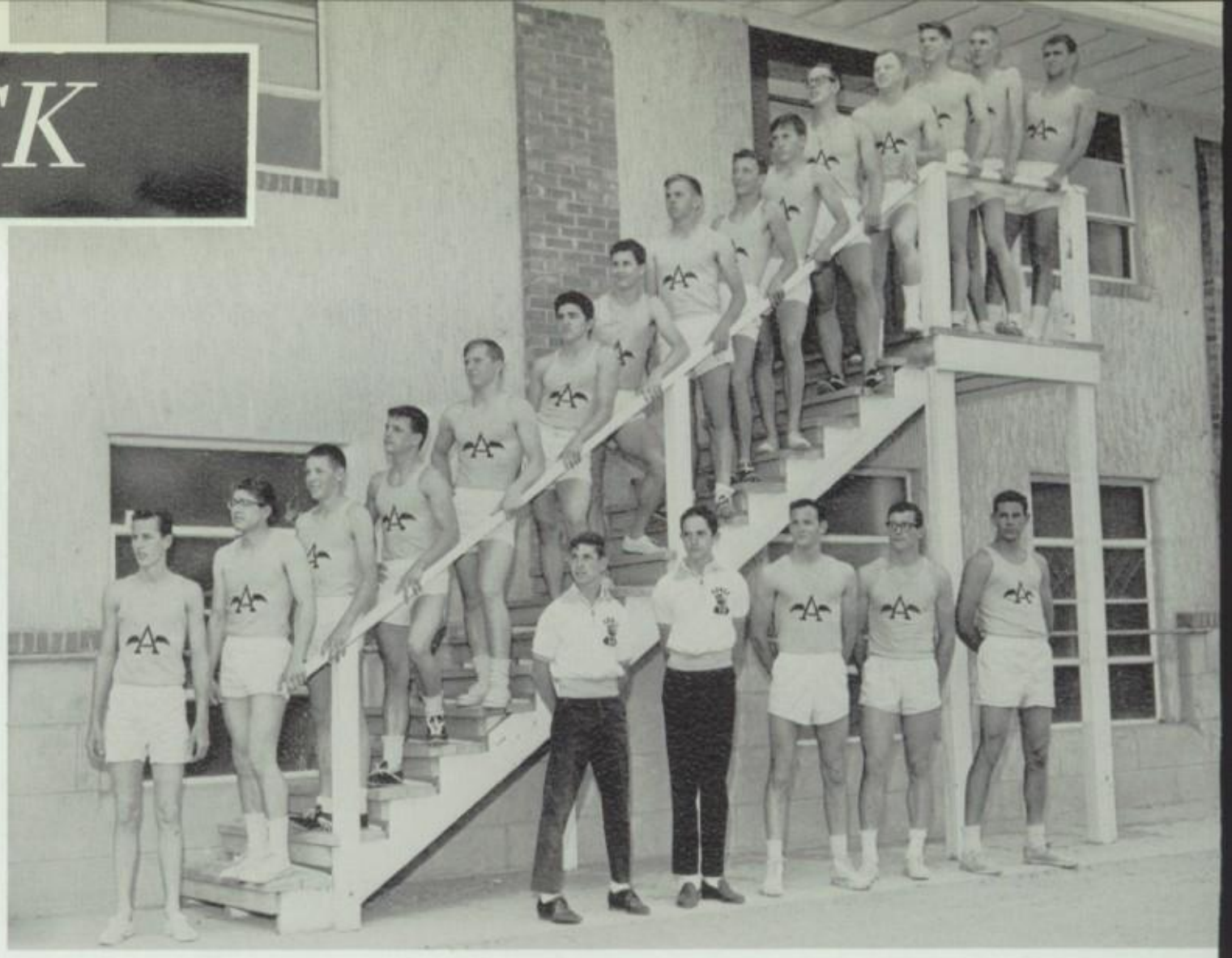
Jim Solfisburg hurries for rebounding position as teammate Jim Swift zeros-in from outside.

Third place trophy in the state meet is accepted by Bear Co-Captains Kevin Holcomb and Jim Swift.

Mike loops one to make Pueblo's sign "Beat Abbey" just a hopeless wish.

Johnny Dee — Notre Dame's new coach—congratulates All-State Mike Clement.

TRACK

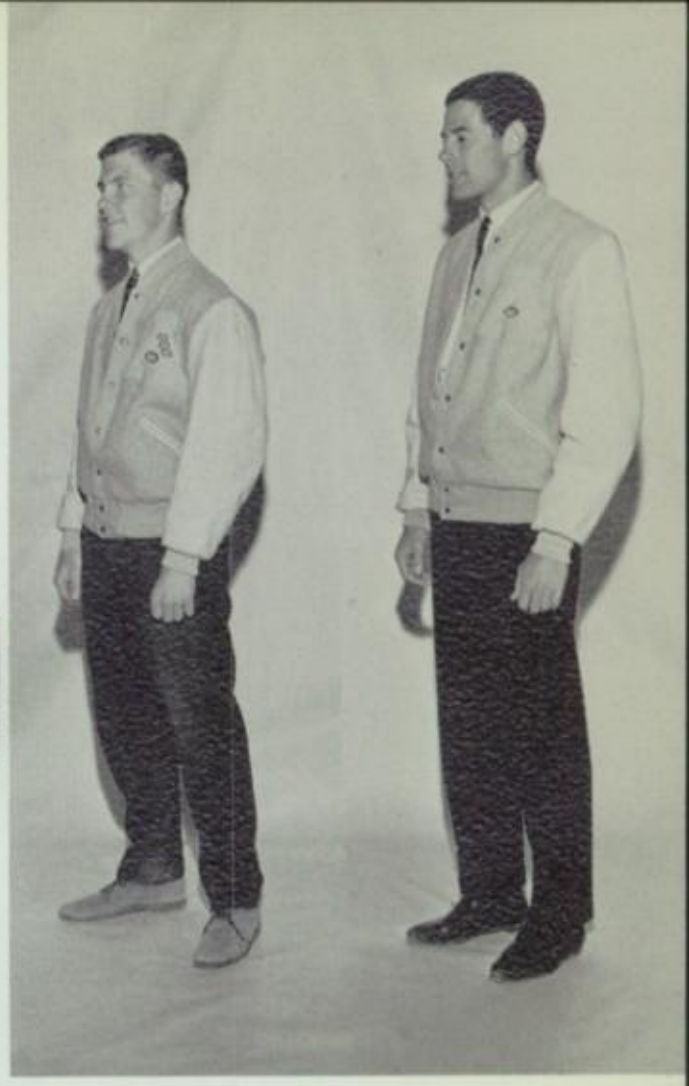


Another new era started in Abbey history this year and that being the Abbey's first track team. Mr. Apgar, directing his third varsity sport this year, took full charge of the new team with Father Thomas and Mr. Seigle as assistants. The Bears participated in only two meets and totaled only seven points for both meets. The Bears were young and of course inexperienced as the team consisted of mainly Freshmen and Sophomores and only five Seniors.

Dan Garrett makes it by inches.

TRACK TEAM—*Row One:* M. Coleman, S. Cervi, C. Muller, T. O'Keefe, P. Sweeney, C. Slavsky, J. Solfisburg, J. Walker. *Row Two:* J. Titterington, D. Garrett, D. Miles, J. Tonso, V. Trujillo, J. Fitch, B. McGarry, P. Kearns, G. Mader, T. Bath, J. Springman, L. Suquilanda. *Row Three:* Mr. Apgar, J. Woolley, T. Zimmerman, C. Kaiser, J. Andrews, T. Murray, W. Senutovitch, V. Bachechi, J. McMahon, J. Hudson, C. Wernsman, T. Monaghan, D. Deutsch, Mr. Seigle.

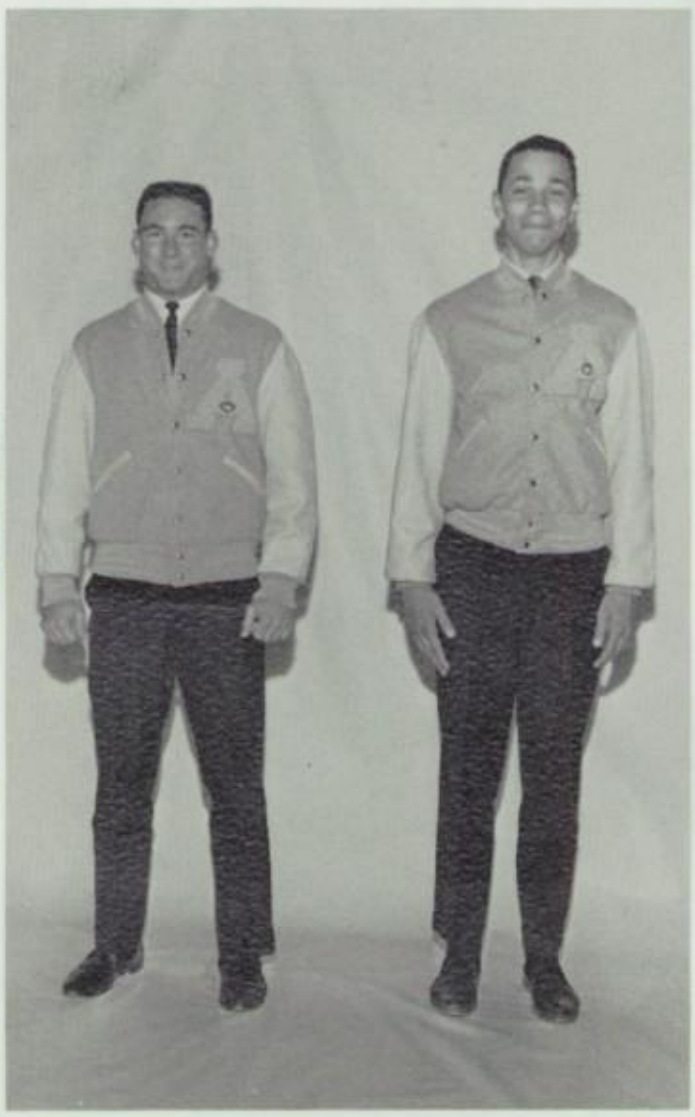
BRUIN STARS



JIM SWIFT TOM O'KEEFE

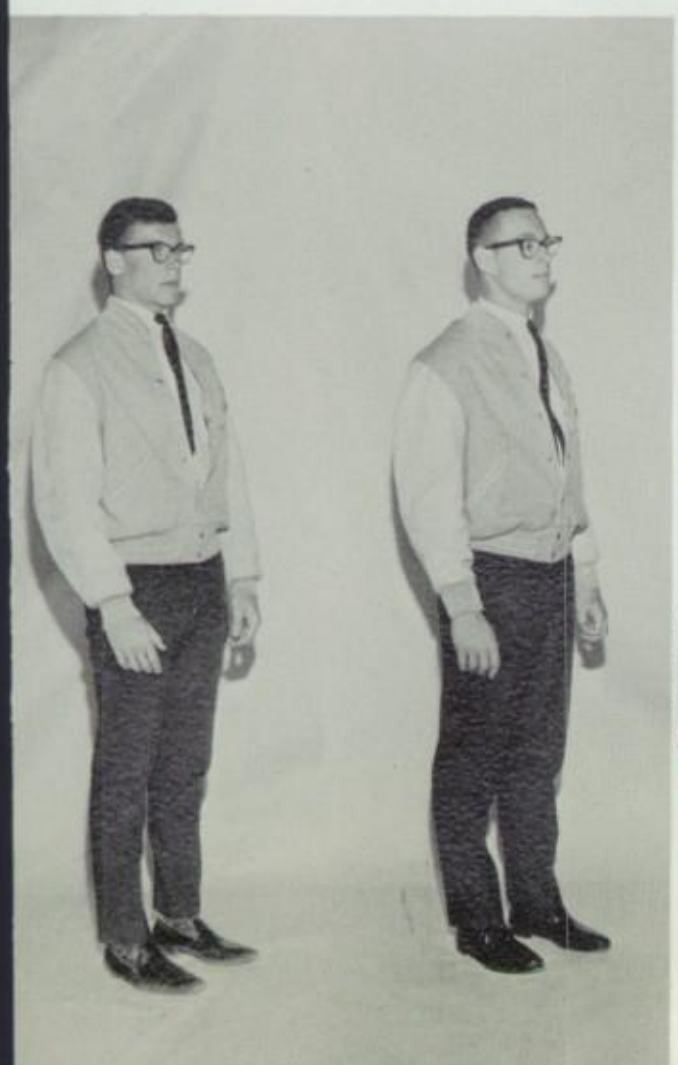
SWIFT—FOOTBALL, All League
BASKETBALL, All State
All League

O'KEEFE—FOOTBALL, All League
All State
Second Team



KEVIN HOLCOMB

HOLCOMB—FOOTBALL, All League



MIKE CLEMENT

CLEMENT—BASKETBALL,
All State
All League

JIM SOLFISBURG CHRIS SLAVSKY

SOLFISBURG—FOOTBALL, All State
All League

SLAVSKY—FOOTBALL,
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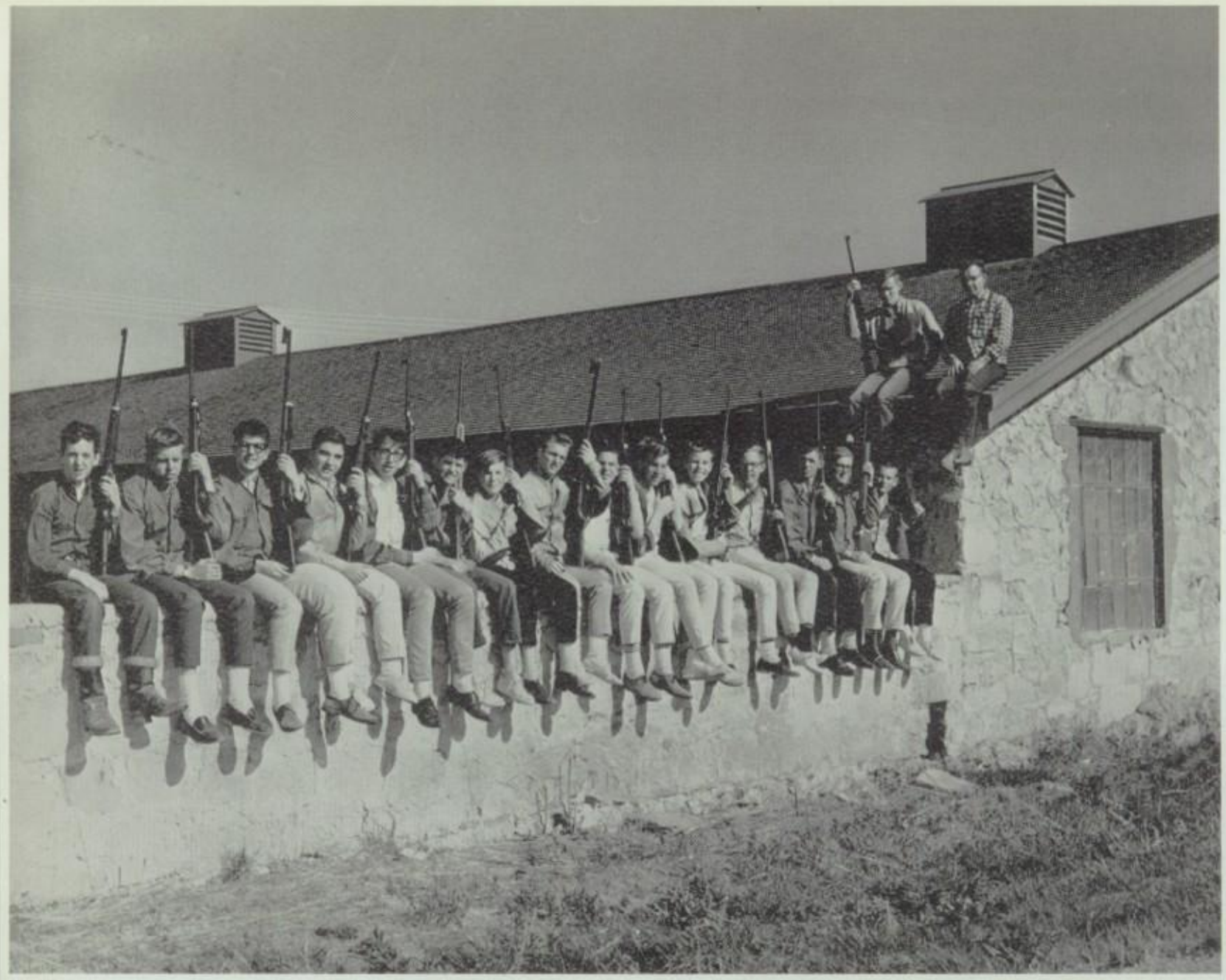


TEAM MEMBERS: J. Leahy, A. Miller, D. Mueller, R. Jermance, D. Cingoranelli, R. Holton, B. Konte, M. Morris, E. Mallon, T. Donahue, E. Cook, J. Cloos, C. Howey, F. Konte, D. Ryan, M. Kinna, Father William Thompson.

NIMRODS

Nimrod Officers Al Miller, Jim Cloos, and Martin Kinna with Moderator Father William Thompson.

The Nimrod Club, completing its twenty-second consecutive year of promoting the school's riflery program, has made significant contributions in the three areas of this program:

MARKSMANSHIP

The 105 students who received marksmanship instruction received a total of 247 N.R.A. promotion awards. Ten of these earned the rating of Expert; four—Marty Kinna, Mike Morris, Frank Konte, and Emmet Cook—achieved the highest indoor riflery rating, that of Distinguished Expert.

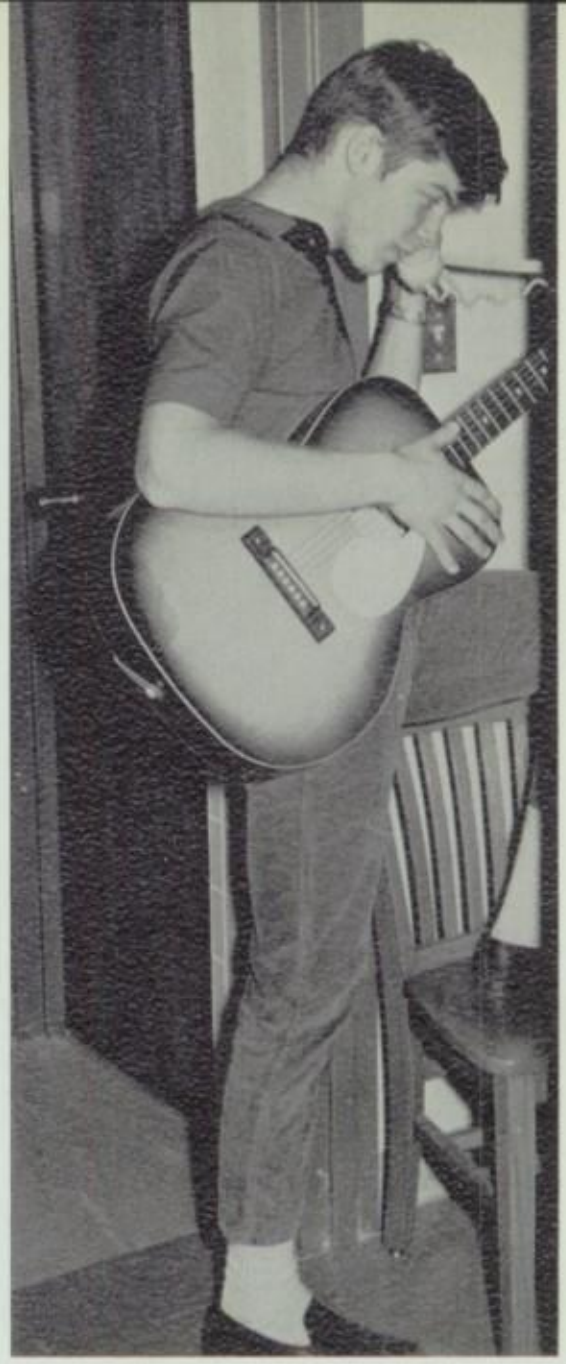
SERVICE

Hunter Safety and Home Firearms Safety courses were offered to the student body by the club. Three "Date Matches," popular in recent years, were attended by capacity crowds this year.

COMPETITION

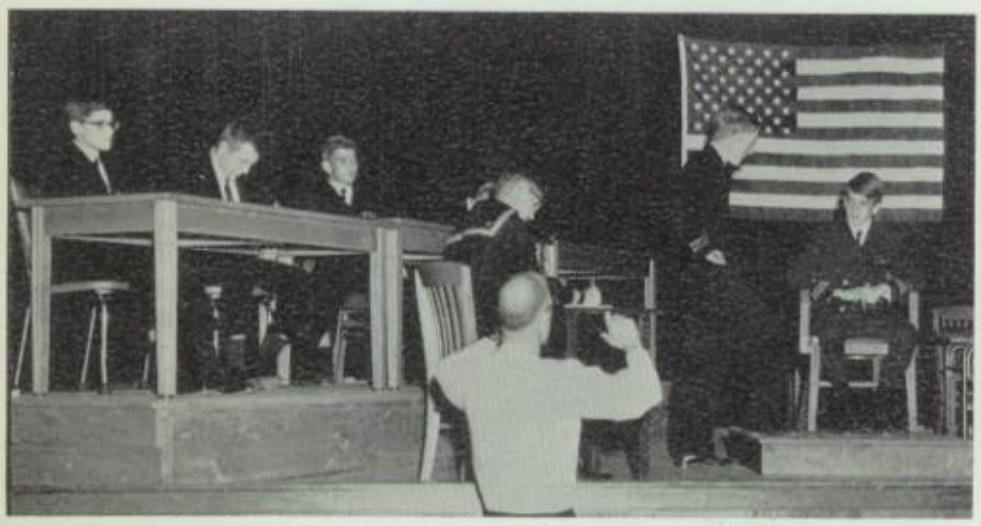
The club's rifle team put the Nimrods "on the map" this year when its first entry into nation-wide shoulder-to-shoulder competition took second place in the open division of the N.R.A. Junior National Sectional Championships at Denver. Other highlights of the season were good showings in the following championship tournaments: first place, Southern Colorado, both A and B divisions; first place, twelve-week Southern Division of Colorado Postal; second place, V.F.W. at Loveland; third place, Colorado State.

STUDENT LIFE



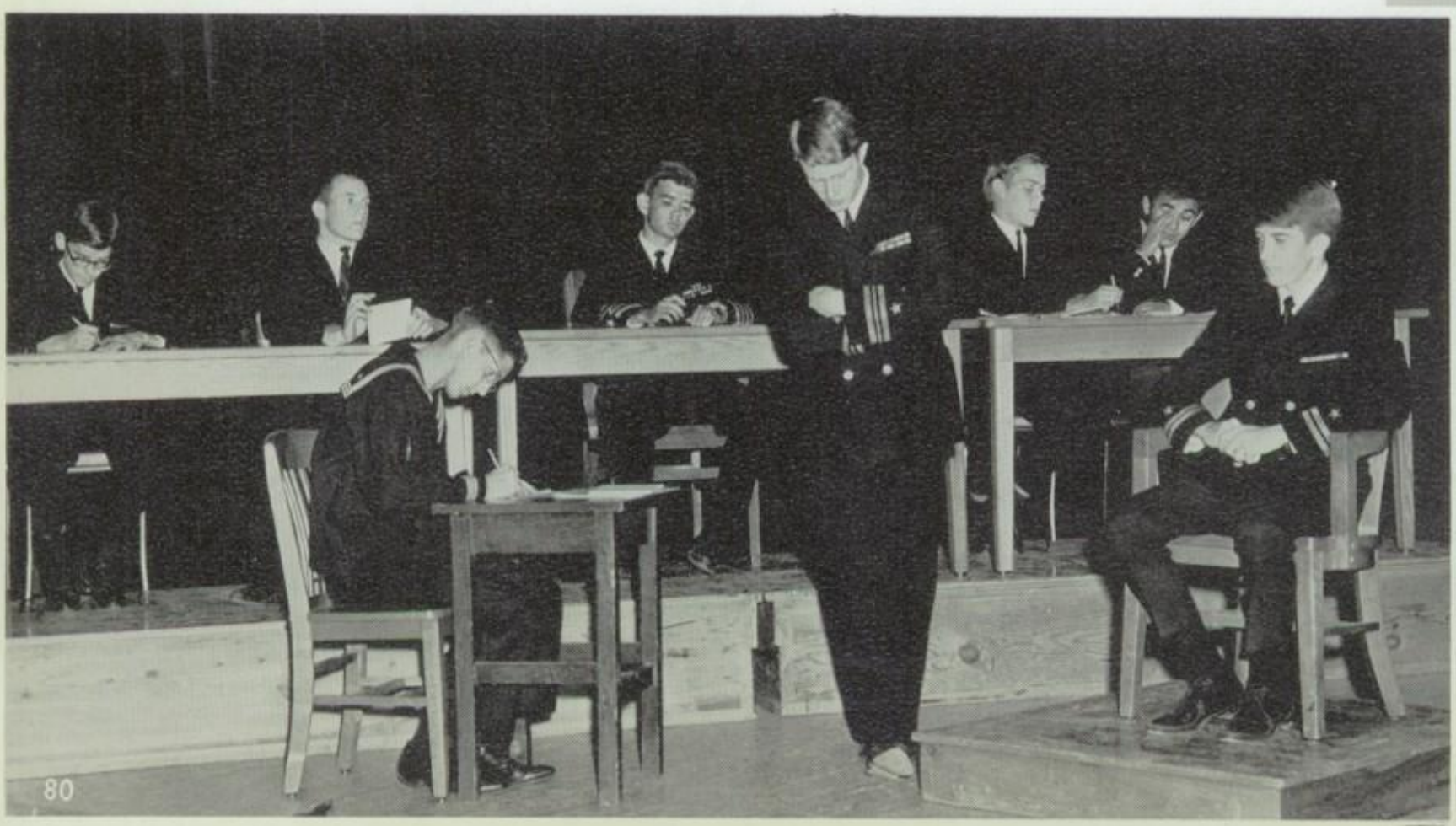
CAINE MUTINY

Lt. Com. John Mariani gives his story to Reuben Marquez and attorney Charles Jawetz.



Director Father Lambert keeps the action moving during dress rehearsal.

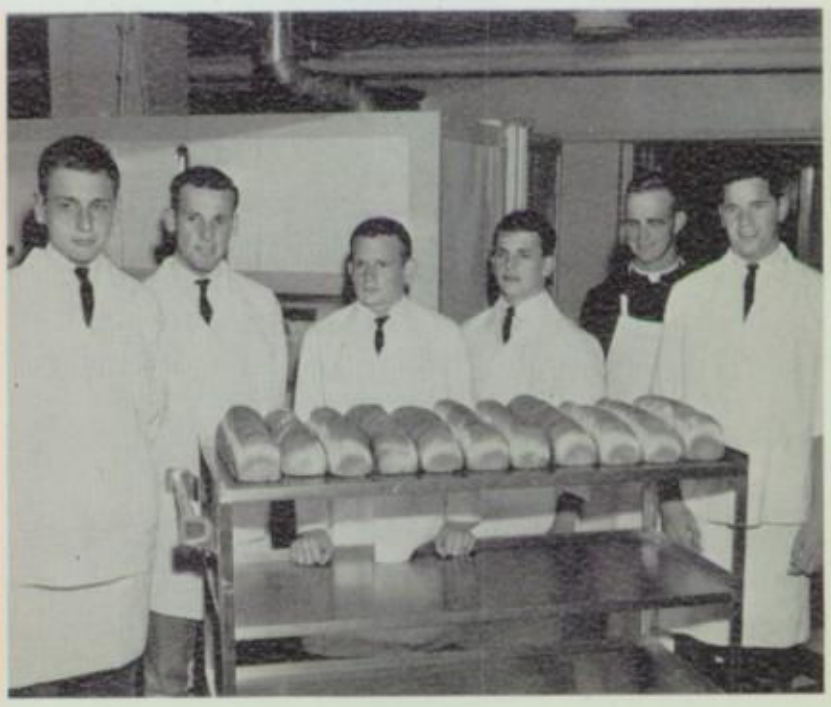
Court members Rick Ferri, John Fitch, John Tonso, Terry O'Brien, Walter Schmalstieg, Reuben Marquez, and Hal Spencer give their full attention to the witness, Tom Hurrle.



Sister M. Corona, Sister M. Rita, Sister M. Richmundis, Sister M. Maria, Mother M. Domitilla, Sister M. Maria Regina, Sister M. Adelaide, and Sister M. Benedicta.

DINING HALL

J. McMahon, B. Thompson, M. Powell, B. Lany, M. Coleman, D. Groves, K. Nellson, B. Bandi, and Brother David.



M. Karlinger, C. Overton, D. Ryan, P. Kearns, Brother David, and T. Hickey.

GLEE CLUB

FIRST TENORS

James Tonso
Patrick Sweeney
David Wernsman
Victor Bachechi
Mike Barrett
David Ederer
John Freeman
Mark Salvato

BARITONES

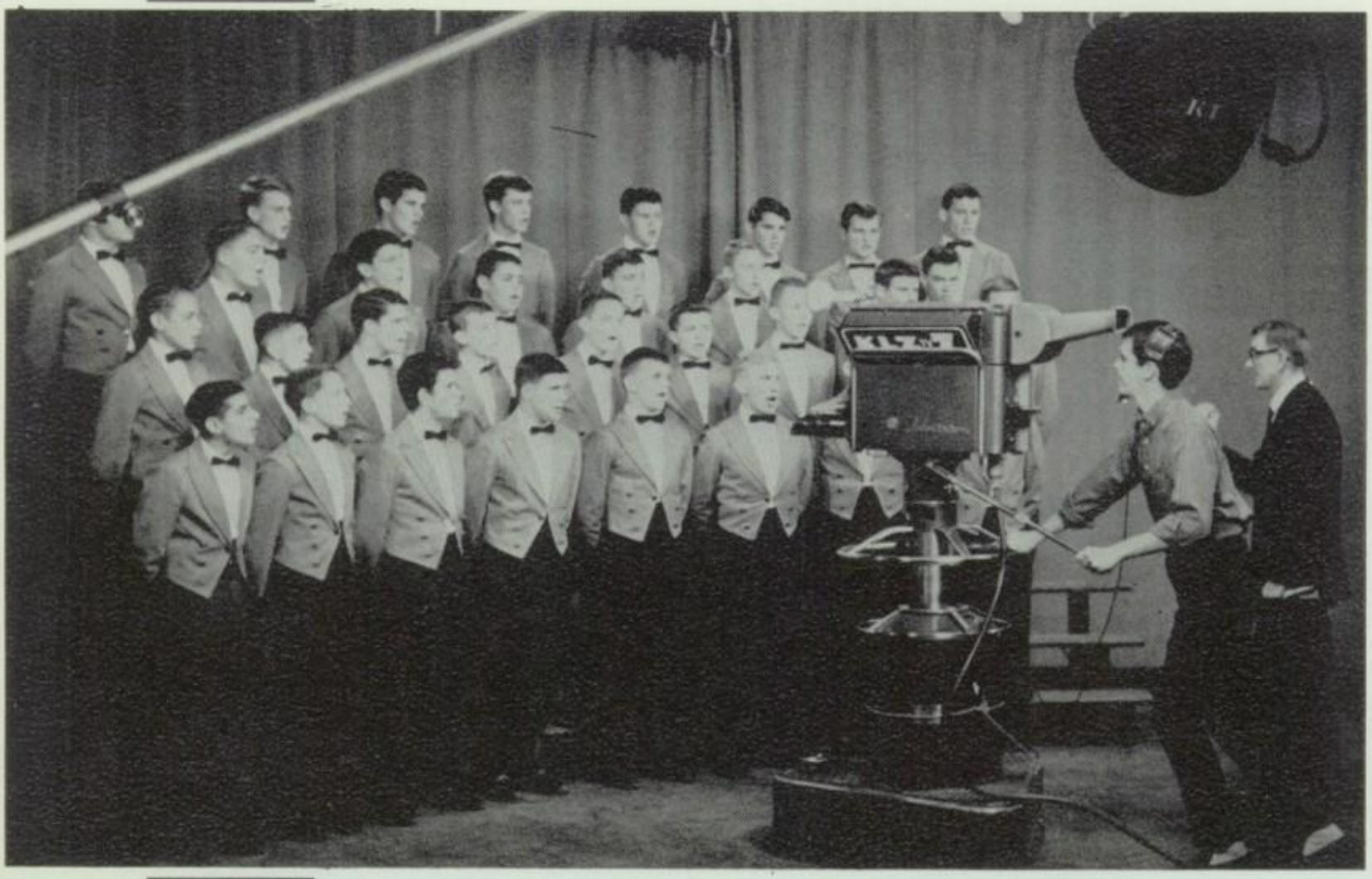
Mike Karlinger
Pat Kearns
Martin Kinna
Frank Konte
Terry Meyer
Dan Miles
Ken Shoemaker
John Springman
Greg Ullstrom
David DeLisio
John Gregor
Bob Thompson
Robert Hickey

SECOND TENORS

Larry Barrett
Thomas Hickey
Terry O'Brien
Steve Cervi
John Mariani
Larry Arrighetti
Mike Campbell
Carlos Ordonez
Mike Powell
Dan Greenwald
Rocky Marquez

BASSES

Steve Tuchfarber
Dave Deutsch
Al Miller
Robert Muller
Lloyd Simmons
Jim Solfisburg
Jim Titterington
Joe Rodgers
Steve Cook



The Glee Club once again sang on the Starr Yelland show on KLZ-TV in Denver during the annual tour.

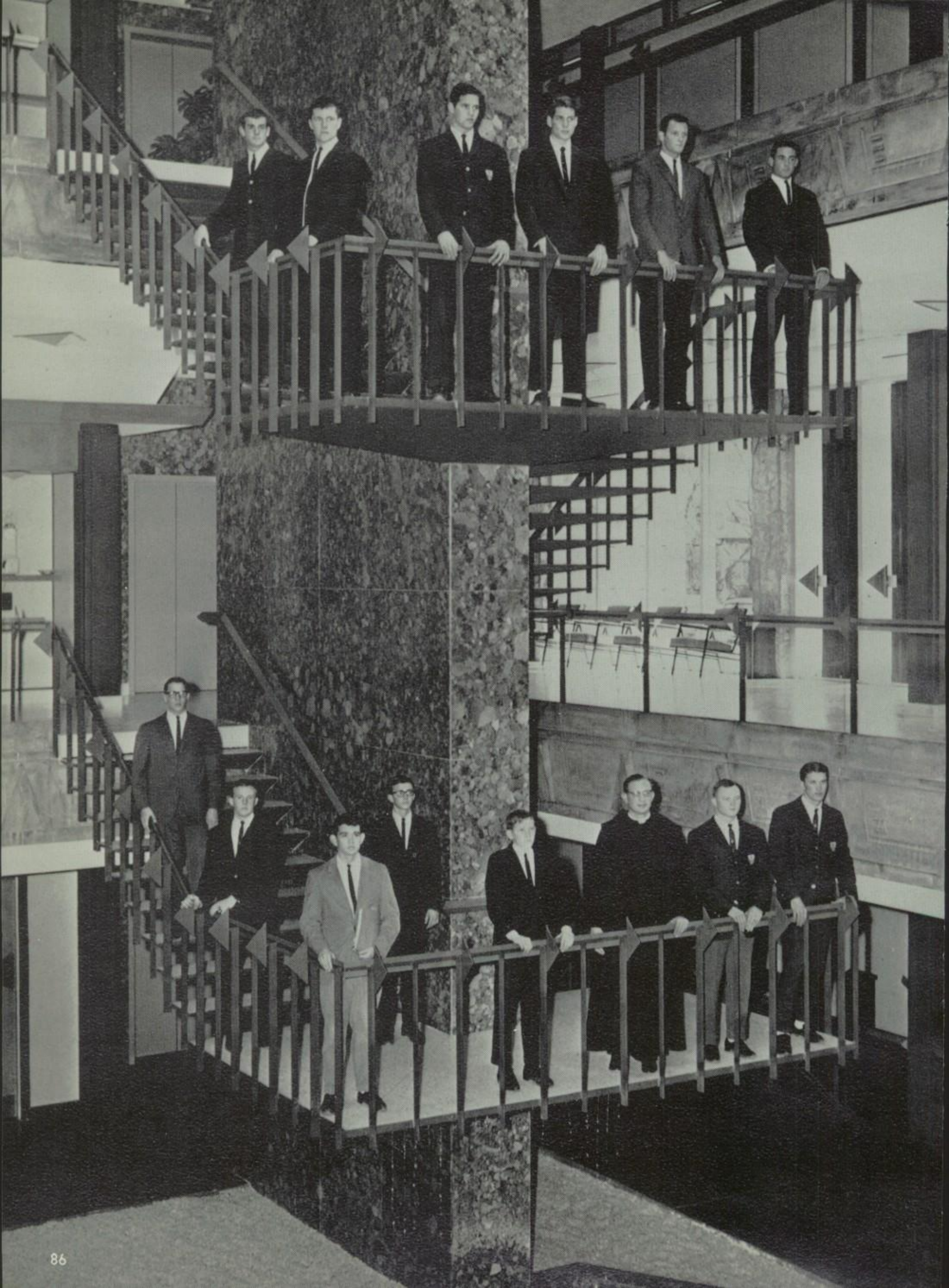
Autograph seekers keep the popular Tom Hickey busy after each concert. These were the girls of St. Philomena's eighth grade.

The homecoming show for the parents and alumni was the kickoff program for the glee club. The girls chorus from St. Scholastica Academy under Sister M. Cornelia joined the Abbey Glee Club for the Christmas Concert which was held in the fieldhouse.

In March, Brother Mark took his chorus to Garden City, Kansas, for an exciting week-end which included a little bus trouble on the way.

The highlight of the tour to Denver-Boulder-Laramie was the Carnation Ball at the Pinehurst Country Club in Denver. The glee club was billed right along with some of the top professionals like the Taylors and the Carousel Singers.

The Abbey Glee Club joined forces with the St. Scholastica chorus at Christmas.

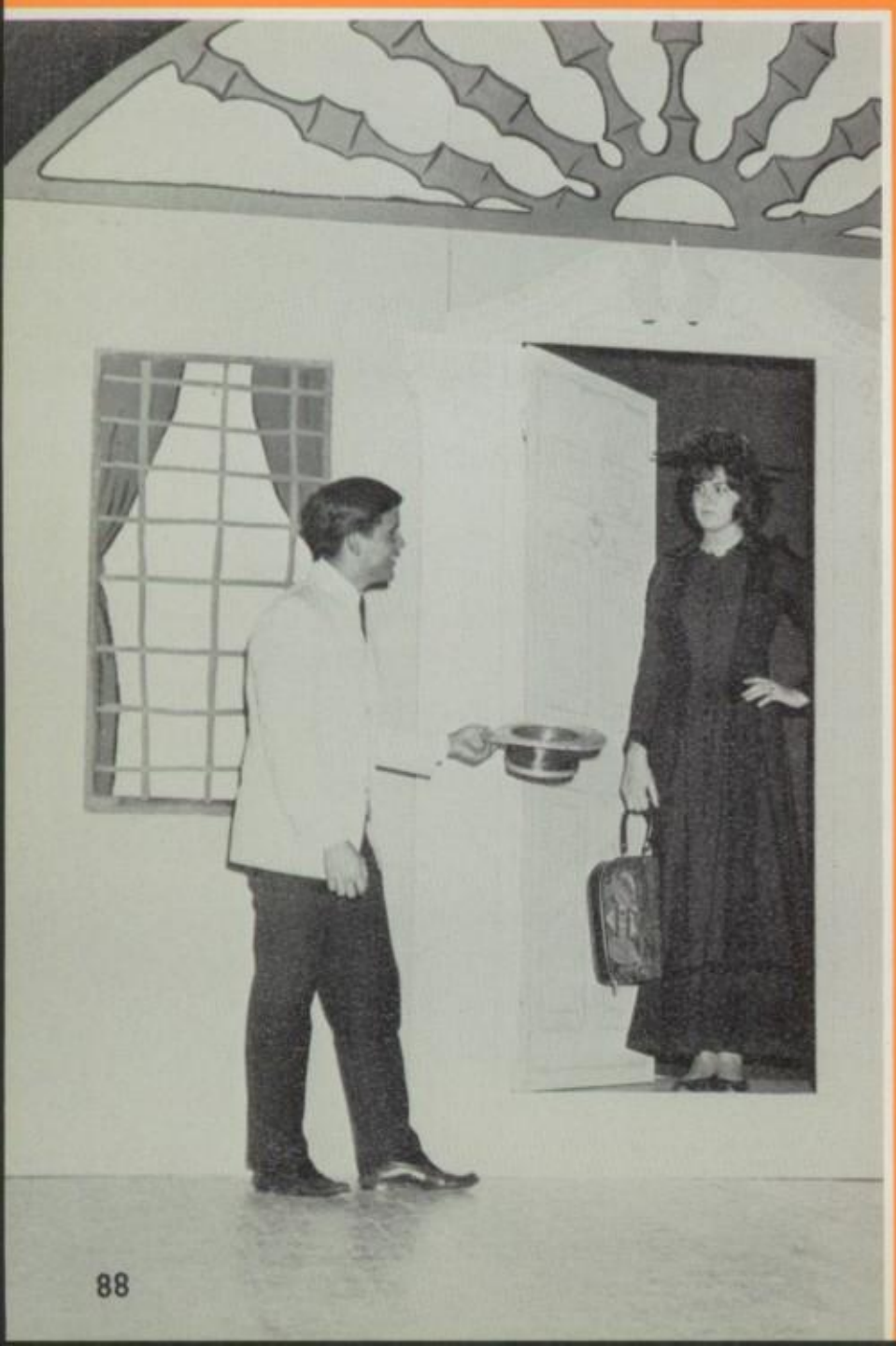


STUDENT COUNCIL

Kevin Holcomb, *Mayor*
Carl Muller, *Commissioner*
George Klecan, *Judge*
Terry O'Brien, *Secretary*
Jim Swift, *Treasurer*
Tom Hickey, *Senior Aldermen*
Sam Hunter, *Senior Aldermen*
Greg Ullstrom, *Junior Aldermen*
John Fitch, *Junior Aldermen*
Bill Thiebaut, *Sophomore Aldermen*
Bob O'Connor, *Sophomore Aldermen*
Tim Kirven, *Freshman Aldermen*
Mike Ciavonne, *Freshman Aldermen*

Under their moderator, Father Mark Jackson, the Student Council this year not only was a service to the school but also contributed to the growth and development of the student body. A great deal of work was done to improve Abbey-Academy relations and to conduct the student elections on a more individual basis rather than a party system, emphasizing the qualifications and abilities of each of the candidates. Members of the Student Council posed for these pictures in the beautiful new Fremont County Courthouse.

Terry O'Brien as Alfred P. Doolittle is carried off by his old friends, Pat Kearns and Rocky Marquez, with the tune "Get Me To The Church On Time."



"I have often walked down this street before," sings Carlos Ordonez to Sue Rodgers who is not too convinced.

MY FAIR LADY

This year's production of MY FAIR LADY hit the peak of musical presentation for young actors and singers at the Abbey and Academy. Brother Mark again staged the entire show with the assistance of Sister M. Cornelia. Brother Nathan and Tom Jersin created the sets and the costumes were executed by Mary Jane Hicks and John Mariani.

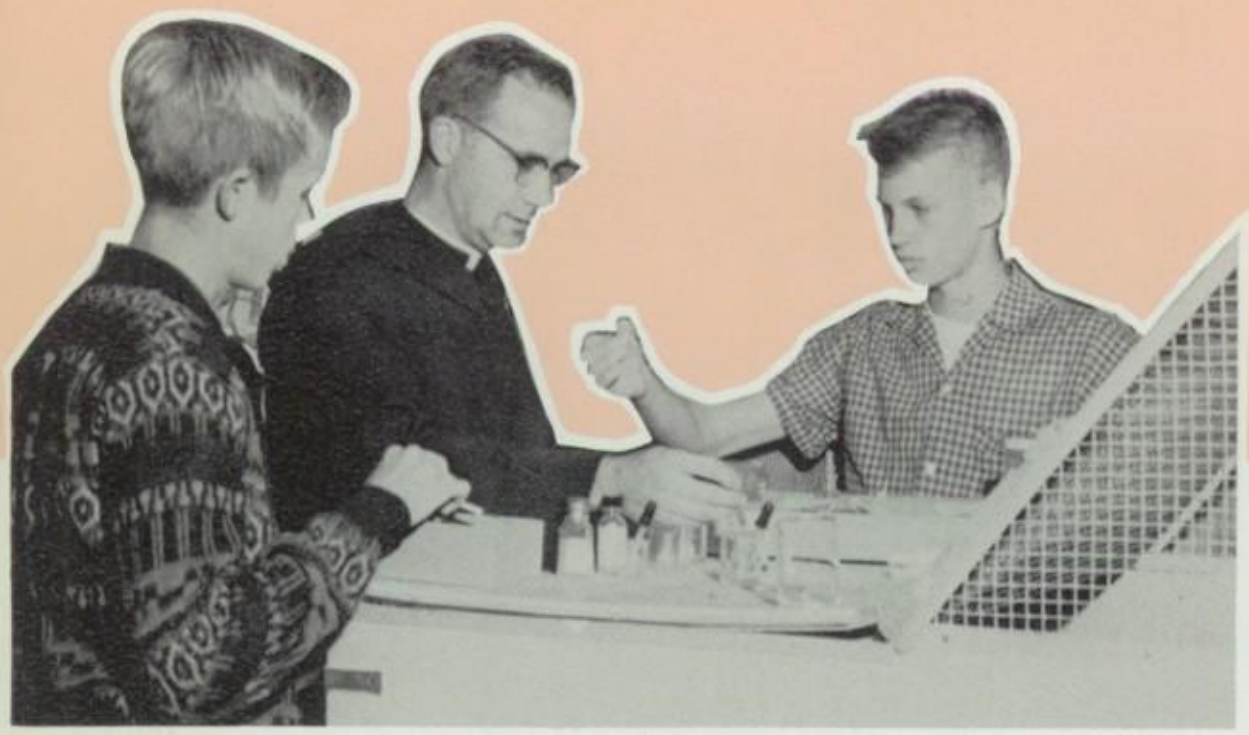
"Tonight, old man, you did it." And indeed Tom Hickey did make a lady out of Sue Rodgers. Jack Springman played Colonel Pickering.

The Ladies at the Ascot show off their black and white gowns created by Mary Jane Hicks and John Mariani.

Pat Kearns and Rocky Marquez are informed by Terry O'Brien that with a little bit of luck, you'll never have to work.

Cockney quartet, Mike Campbell, Jim Tonso, Greg Ullstrom, and Dave Deutsch join Sue in "Wouldn't It Be Loverly?"

"The Rain In Spain Stays Mainly In The Plain." The Professor thinks she's got it. Pictured below are: Tom Hickey, Sue Rodgers, Marti Foxhoven, John Mariani, John Gregor, Karole Sudyka, Bobbie Weverka, Linda Smith, and John Springman.



Once again, Father Luke Hallenbeck has produced top-ranking students in the science department.

In recognition of the great achievements year after year of Father Luke's students in biology, the National Association of Biology Teachers has chosen him as the Outstanding Biology Teacher of Colorado for 1964 and also the Outstanding Biology Teacher of Region VIII. There are nine such outstanding regional teachers in the United States.

In addition, Father Luke has been nominated Regional Director of the N.A.B.T. for 1965-66.

The Milheim Foundation for Cancer Research has presented him with a grant of $3,627.00 so that he can continue his research on leukemia during the summer of 1964.

Future Scientists: Don Olshove, Drew Winston, Bob Tedesco, Jim Titterington, and John Brown.

ABBEY SCIENTIST

JIM TITTERINGTON

Finalist in Atoms for Youth Conference in Chicago, Ill., sponsored by the Public Utilities Companies in the U.S.A.

Established viable heart and thymus tissue cultures.

Summer research assistant with Dr. J. Mayerson, Tulane Research Medical Laboratories, New Orleans, La.

DREW WINSTON

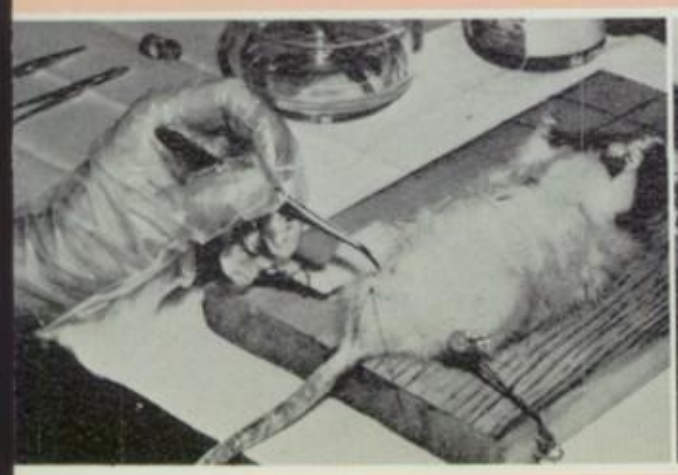
Grant-in-aid from Eli Lilly and Co., to investigate "The Biochemical Role of Stilbestral C-14 in Male Rat Metabolism."

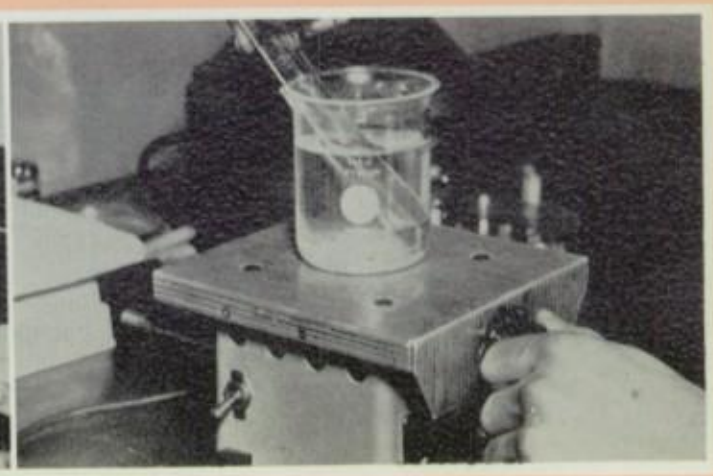
Honorable mention Bi-State Science Fair, Boulder.

1st Place Award of American Technologists and Pathologists.

DONALD OLSHOVE

$1500.00 per year scholarship to the California Institute of Technology, Los Angeles, Calif.





BAND

Brother Mark put the band through its paces during the home football games and at most of the basketball games this year.

Jim Tonso headed the Band Club as president and Tessi Kos as secretary.

The concert band moved into the fieldhouse for the annual Christmas Concert.

The Brass Choir played traditional Christmas Carols.

Seated: Joe Gallager, Mary Beth Jersin, Chuck Halley, Karole Sudyka, Marty Kinna, Chris Crane, Sister Audrey, Rocky Marquez, Debbie McLean, Drew Vaclav, Rosemary Doran, Father Gerald, and Patty Begley. *Standing:* Ric Ferri, Mary Devine, Liz Martinez, Tim Monaghan, Betty Zaller, Bob Tedesco, Marti Foxhoven, Walter Schmalsteig, Sheri Stephens, Rosemary Madone, Michaele Stephens, and Rick Brennan.

WRITERS' CLUB

The Writers' Club, a coeducational organization, boasts of over thirty members this year. Those students interested in creative writing had an opportunity to write during the two-hour meetings every three weeks.

The club's literary magazine PRISM was dedicated this year to John Fitzgerald Kennedy.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Mike Karlinger, Tim Halm, Rick Gisi, Marty Kinna, Greg Uullstrom, Carl Muller, Chuck Howey, John Havens, Dave Wernsman, George Klecan, Sam Hunter, Mike Dodge, Bill Trujillo, Kevin Holcomb, Dan Kettle, Larry Henkel, Drew Winston, Don Olshove, Jim Tonso.

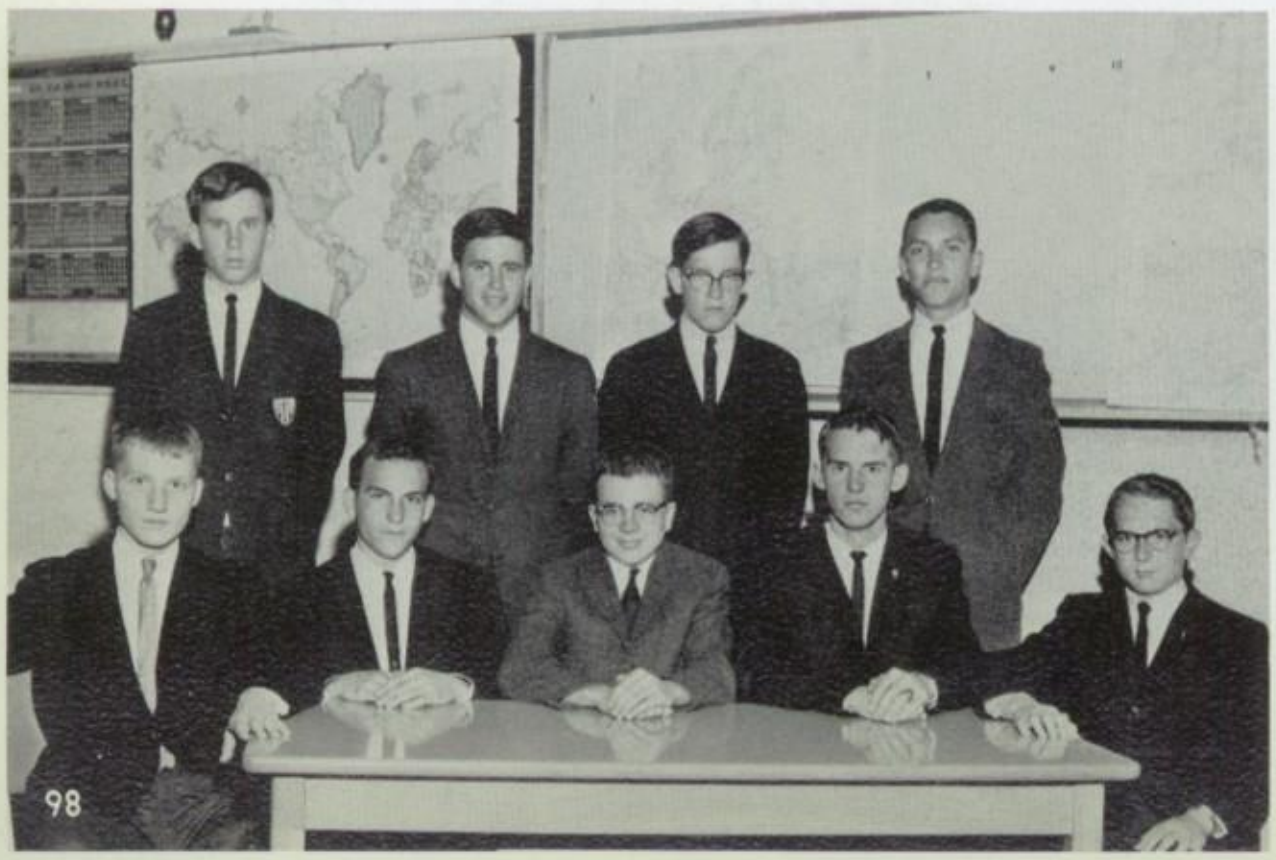
GOLDEN KEY

David Wernsman, Vito Trujillo, George Klecan, Greg Ullstrom, Chuck Howey, and John Gregor.

CHRONICLE STAFF

"So you think this is just an average school?" Mike Clement, Editor; Brother Mark, Moderator.

"This meeting will come to order." Mike Karlinger, Greg Ullstrom, Mike Clement, Bob Beaudette, John Mariani.



Tom Zimmerman, Dennis Selles, John Gregor, Chuck Howey, John Freeman, Jack Woolley, Carlos Ordonez, Nic Ferri, Vito Trujillo.

Tom O'Keefe presents the Best Costume Awards. The two fellows on the left are Joe Rodgers and Mike O'Keefe.

HALLOWEEN PARTY

"I think this guy is crooked."

"I Want To Hold Your Hand." Playd by Frank (Lawrence Welk) Konte, Ken Salazar, Bob Muller, and Dennis DuBe.

"And you say Darwin said this."

"I think there's too much peanut butter."

Top Intramural Star, Mike Karlinger receives his trophy from Father Jerome.

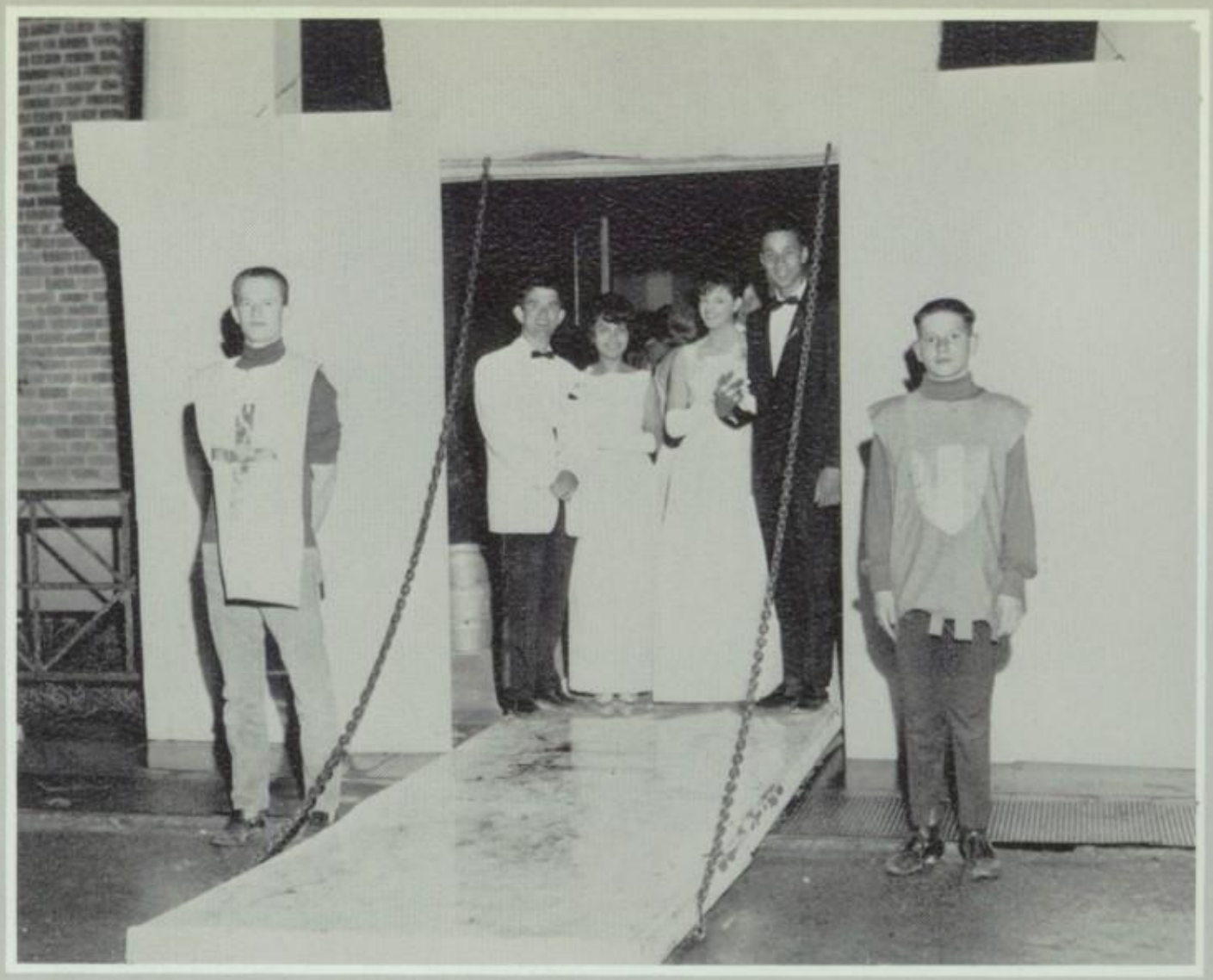
"John, would you please call Siberia."

"Sing Along with Father Alan."

The Honorable Harold L. McCormick, State Representative; His Excellency Kevin Holcomb, Mayor of Abbey; and Judge Albert T. Frantz, Supreme Court of Colorado.

"So it tastes like kerosene."

The open door.



Terry O'Brien, Nina Maes, Belinda Lueras, and Mike Clement make ready to cross the drawbridge while pageboys Jim Beaudette and Dave Richardson stand sentry.

JUNIOR-SENIOR PROM

Murphy is not sure his potion is going to work on Jim Tonso and his date.

"A night in Camelot," was the theme of this year's Junior-Senior Prom. Under the imaginative hand of John Mariani, Alcuin Hall was transformed into a castle with drawbridge, ramparts, and beautiful garland bedecked tents.

Sam Quigley reigned as king with Carol Hawthorne as the queen of the prom.

John Medley and Mary Jane Hicks together with John Mariani and Frances Provencher were the royal couple's escorts.

A happy couple—Sheri Stephens and Steve Tuchfarber.

JAMES W. SWIFT
The Curbstone Coaches Award

JAMES J. TONSO
The John Philip Sousa Award

DONALD P. OLSHOVE
The Bausch and Lomb Award

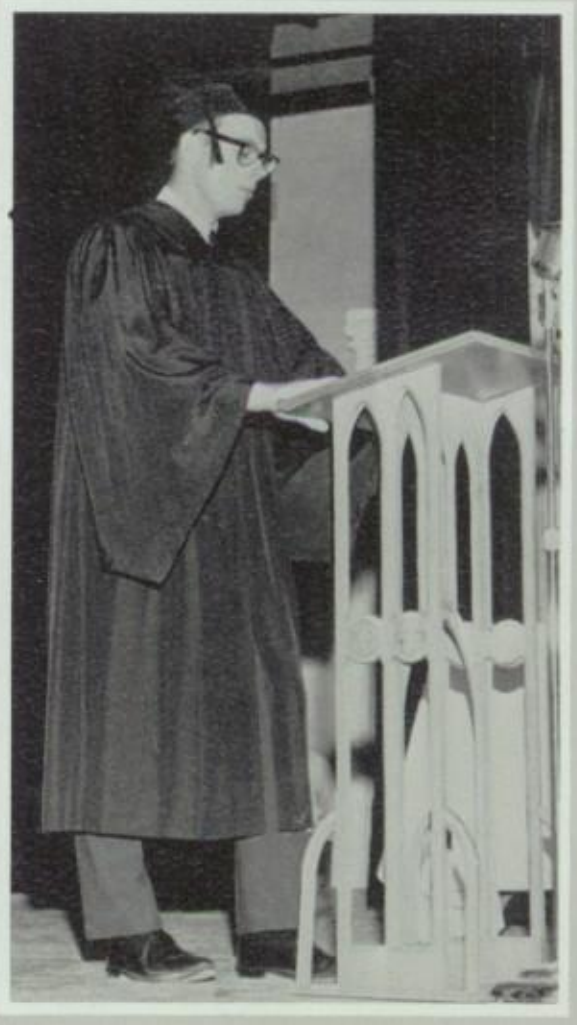
MICHAEL R. KARLINGER
The Balfour Honor Award

KEVIN HOLCOMB
The Mayor's Award

CHRISTOPHER J. SLAVSKY
The Headmaster's Award

KEVIN HOLCOMB
The John J. Sullivan Award

DONALD P. OLSHOVE
The Abbot's Award



GRADUATION

The 1964 graduating class was honored by having Dr. Kenneth Clement, of Cleveland, Ohio, as the main speaker for commencement. His address was entitled "The Ties That Bind."

After the Headmaster, Father Philip Boyle, had presented the graduates and conferred the diplomas and the awards, Chris Slavsky, president of the senior class, gave the response.

Mike poses with his parents and twin sisters, Lia and Leslie.

The 1964 BRUIN got off the ground early in October when Dom Lauricella flew up from Pueblo to photograph the air-view used on the endsheets.

Tom Hickey, Pat Kearns, and Mike Clement worked on layout. Bob Beaudette did the copy for sports; Kevin Holcomb, the copy for activities. Terry O'Brien handled finances and sales promotions. Carlos Ordonez helped Brother Mark with the tedious darkroom work. Many of the fine photographs are credited to Fathers Michael and Bonaventure and to our local photographers, Leonard Claar and Charles Wagner.

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